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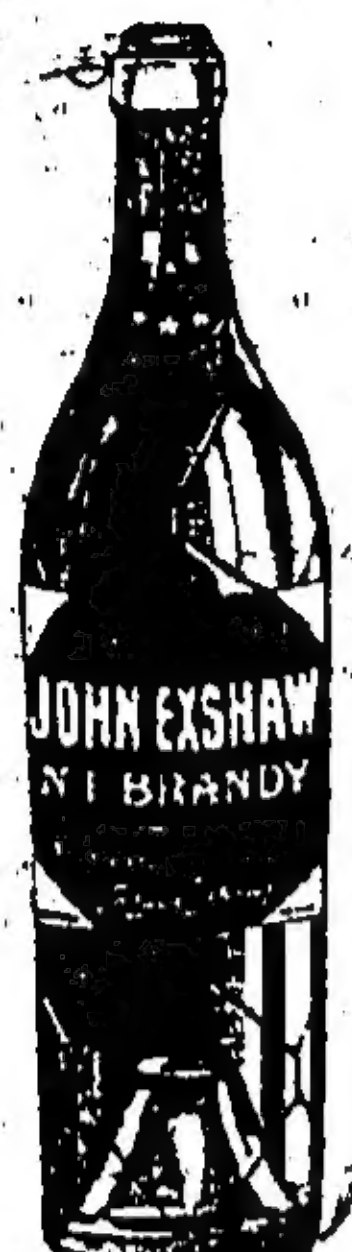
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London Air-Mail Letter

A Natural History Memorial: The New
Divorce Judge: A London Motorist's
"Grouse": First Night of "Before
Sunset": "Improvements" in
Rome: The British
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U.S. MEMORIAL TO LORD GREY.

London, October 10.

The late Lord Grey was held in
much affection in the United
States, and his memory is to be
perpetuated there by a group of
English bird life. The memorial
is to be placed in the American
Museum of Natural History.

The background of the group
shows the spot in the New Forest
where Lord Grey and Col. Roose-
velt strolled and talked during the
latter's visit in 1910.

The beeches, the little stream,
and the wild flowers are all there,
I am told, and among the many
birds mounted in lifelike attitudes
are the chaffinch, cuckoo, magpie,
partridge, jackdaw, owl, and night-
ingale.

The lapwing appears painted
against the background, and in the
blue distance soars a skylark.

DIVORCE COURT PRESIDENT.

Sir F. Boyd Merriman, the new
President of the Divorce Court, is
entitled in to-day's judges' proce-
ssion at the Law Courts, to a pos-
ition of precedence which was only
conferred a year after Lord Mer-
rill's took office.

Before 1920 the President ranked
with Lords Justices of Appeal, ac-
cording to date of appointment.

The late Earl of Birkenhead was
mainly instrumental in bringing
about a statutory change by which,
in virtue of his position and con-
siderable patronage, the President
was ranked with the other heads
of divisions, before the Lords Jus-
tices.

THE WRONG SORT OF PARK.

My car broke down in St. James'
Park as the result of the failure
of one of those diminutive bits
of mechanism that are so easy to
replace in a garage, but so hard
to come by elsewhere—especially on
Sunday.

As I was in a hurry, I was for-
getting it, and telephoning to a
garage to fetch it away.

But a friendly taxi-driver warn-
ed me that a breakdown lorry is
not allowed to enter the Park—
except with a special permit, which
proves, I gather, to be a costly
affair for the stranded motorist.

Such a lorry, being reckoned as a
tradesman's van, is not allowed in
a sacred precinct.

It was a weary little party that
finally manhandled the car several
hundred yards into an area more
suitable for the exercise of the
ordinary amenities of garage ser-
vice.

"BEFORE SUNSET"

The somewhat unpleasantly ex-
citing first night of "Before Sun-

set" at the Shaftesbury was also

one of the most brilliant of recent

first nights.

In boxes were Lady Ravensdale
and Mr. Somerset Maugham, while
opposite them were Mr. Noel Co-
ward and Miss Gladys Cooper.

Prince and Princess Otto von Bis-
marck were also box-holders.

Lord Oxford and Lady Diana
Cooper, with her husband, Mr.
Duff Cooper, were others in the
throne.

A PUZZLED AUDIENCE.

It was curious to notice, by the
way, what difficulty many of the
audience had in grasping what the
disturbance was all about.

This was because an impression
had got abroad that Herr Krauss
was a Jew, and had been expelled
from Germany by the Hitlerites.

Consequently, when "anti-Hitler"
handbills began to descend like
snow upon the stalls, the expres-
sion on many faces showed neither
indignation nor approbation, but
merely bewilderment.

HISTORY REPEATS ITSELF.

Incidentally, the play, had a
similar reception, though for dif-
ferent reasons, when it was first
presented in Germany.

Gerhardt Hauptmann's picture
of his native Silesia was strongly
resented by many in pre-war Ger-
many, and the critics denounced it
particularly as libelling his coun-
trymen.

"A picture of hell itself would
pale by the side of it," wrote one
of them.

BOW BELLS.

The Church of St. Mary-le-Bow,
Cheap-side, will be the scene of re-
opening services to-morrow.

Bow Bells, restored, were re-
dedicated in July by the Archbishop
of Canterbury, and the famous
chime will now be heard again reg-
ularly for the first time in six
years.

Once more, according to tradi-
tion, true Cockneys will be born in
the region delimited in Pope's line:
"Far as loud Bow's stupendous
bells resound."

IMPERIAL ROME.

A friend just returned from
Rome tells me with some regret
that the last vestiges of that
medieval Rome which was strong-
ly reminiscent of an Umbrian hill
town are being swept away.

In a few weeks the steep Via
Monte Caprino, with its old stables,
stick-walled wine shops, and small
houses will have vanished as com-

UNPRECEDENTED GIFT

For Social Work in
Japan

Tokyo, Nov. 1.
The immensely wealthy Mitsui
interests have announced an un-
precedented gift of Yen 30,000,000
for the relief of agricultural dis-
tress, various social works and
public benefit.

It will be recalled that the
Blood Brotherhood and other ter-
rorist plots were largely the out-
come of anti-capitalism agrarian
unrest.

Mr. Takumadan, the head of
Mitsui's was assassinated last
year.—Reuter.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TO-DAY

(November 2)

(IX Moon 15th Day)

Anniversaries and Holidays.—

All Souls: Thanksgiving Day

(U.S.A.).

Solemn Commemoration of all

Souls. Evening Services at St.

Raphael's Cemetery, Mt. Caroline,

4.15 p.m. St. Michael's, Happy

Valley, 5 p.m.

M.C.L. Peak Children's Club

Sale of Work. Peak Club, 3.30

p.m., opened by Lady Peel.

Theosophical Society meeting,

6 p.m.

Whist Drive, Civil Service Cric-

ket Club, 8.45 p.m.

Opening Concert of the Season

at Helen's May Institute, 5.30

p.m.

Theatres.

Queen's "Sign of the Cross"

King's "Bondage"

Central: "Mistress of Atlantis"

Oriental: "Quick Millions"

Majestic: "The Spirit of Notre

Dame"

Star: "Baroud"

Sports

Cricket—Army v. Navy, K.C.C.

Ground, 11 a.m.

Hockey—Punjab Regiment v.

Central British; St. Andrew's v.

Kowloon Indians.

Sunrise.—6.23 a.m. Sunset.—5.46

p.m.

Tides.—High at 9.35 and 21.19;

Low at 3.02 and 14.37.

pletely as the market in the neigh-

bouring Piazza Montanara, demol-

ished to isolate the shell of the

Theatre of Marcelinus.

The Imperial Rome of Mussolini,

in its determination to wear the

mantle of the Caesars, has dealt

hardly with the romantic city of

the Popes.

The last reminder of the fact

that under Pio Nono the Forum

was called Campo Vaccino—the

field of cattle—is the Street of the

Buffalo, now being levelled with

zeal to isolate the Tarpeian Rock

and make it look more imposing.

RECEPTION ON A LINER.

Of the uses to which an ocean-

going liner may be put there seems

to be no end.

A big vessel makes a perfect set-

ting for a dance, and this summer

several were held on the giants in

port.

Now I see that one of them has

just served another social purpose

—a wedding reception. The bride

was Miss Eileen Braithwaite, the

daughter of Capt. S. M. Braith-

walle, the Marine Superintendent

of the Royal Mail Line.

After her wedding in Southamp-

ton to Mr. W. A. Gleave, the party

adjourned to the Almansors for

the reception.

IMPROVING FILMS.

Mr. R. S. Lambert tells me that

the British Film Institute is mak-

ing good progress.

He and other members of the

board, which includes Lady Lewis,

Mr. John Buchan, and various

M.P.s, are busy visiting provincial

towns.

An address at the chief "picture

palace," usually with mayoral and

other local support, during the

Sunday evening programme, is a

feature of the campaign.

The results in the formation of

provincial centres are encouraging.

Mr. Lambert says, and the Nelson

which the Institute means to estab-

lish between the film industry and

the public should raise the stand-

ard of cinematography.



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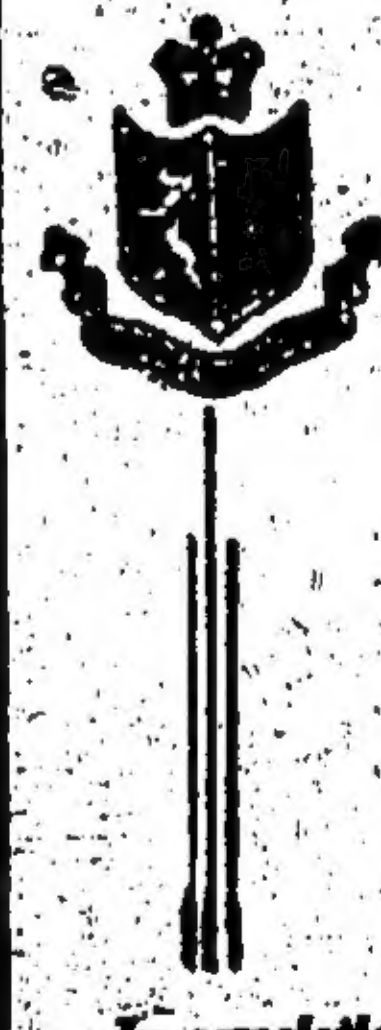
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THREE USEFUL RECIPES

SAVORY SAUCE

3 tablespoons bacon fat.
4 tablespoons flour.
2 cups milk.
1 teaspoon paprika.
1 egg beaten.
Melt fat, add flour. When blended add milk, cook until creamy sauce forms. Stir constantly. Add rest of ingredients. Mix, serve poured around timbales.

TAPIOCA CREAM PUDDING

(Serve Chilled)
1/3 cup granulated tapioca.
4 cups milk.
2/3 cup sugar.
3 eggs.
2 teaspoon vanilla.
1 teaspoon salt.
Mix tapioca and milk. Cook in double boiler 20 minutes. Add sugar and eggs, cook 10 minutes, stir frequently. Add rest of ingredients. Cool and chill. Serve plain or with cream. This is an excellent dessert for children.

PORK CHOPS EN CASSEROLE

6 pork chops.
2 tablespoons flour.
1 teaspoon salt.
1 teaspoon pepper.
2 cups tomatoes.
Select chops, 1/2 inch thick. Heat frying pan and quickly brown the chops. Transfer to casserole, sprinkle with flour, salt and pepper. Add tomatoes. Add rice mixture.

Pineapple and Lime Jam

1 pineapple of average size.
2 limes.
1 pint of water.
2 lb. sugar.

Cut up the pineapple finely into small pieces, or shred it, taking care not to lose any of the juice. For this reason it is advisable to cut it up on a china plate. Put into a saucepan, add the lime juice, then shred the skins of the limes as finely as possible. Add 1 pint of water to the pineapple and simmer gently until the fruit is tender. The time required is about 40-50 minutes. Then add the sugar, bring to the boil, boiling for about 10 minutes. Test for jelling; if necessary, continue boiling in a little longer until a good set is obtained. This recipe produces 3 lb. of marmalade.

THE FRAGRANT ROOM

Alternatives To Pot Pourri

Some rooms have a fragrance particularly their own, though possibly there are no flowers to be seen. Whence does the fragrance come?

SCENTED CUSHIONS
You may be able to trace the scent to the cushions. When these were made, perhaps a handful of dried and crushed lavender was mixed with the feathers, and this still continues to emit the subtlest and most delicate reminder of its presence. Into another pillow, maybe, a tiny bag of powderedorris-root has been slipped, and this also gives out a pleasant aroma. It is possible that some dried rose-petals have been mingled with it, but I think the fragrance is more delightful without this addition.

OTHER METHODS
Some of us are not very fond of potpourri, regarding its mixture of odours as erring upon the sickly side. A good plan, then, is to give fragrance to the room by way of a wad of scented cotton wool, fitted into a small potpourri jar with a perforated cover. This can be saturated from time to time either with essence of scented geranium-leaf or with oil of lavender, both of which are sufficiently pungent to be refreshing. Moreover, they do not become sickly or stale during the process of gradual evaporation.

If you make a practice of keeping sachet powders in the chest in which you store afternoon tea cloths, d'oyles, lace chair-backs and so on, a certain aroma will cling to these things, and help to enhance the general sweetness of your room.

HAM DUMPLINGS

This dish is not as heavy as it sounds, and is useful at a time of year when cold ham does not keep as long as we should like it to.

Mince up half a pound of lean ham and mix it with an ounce and a half of flour, a couple of ounces of butter, tablespoonful of chopped mint.

See that all these ingredients are well combined, then shape them into quite small dumplings, and steam them for twenty minutes. A tomato sauce goes well with them, and if you like you can hand grated cheese (Parmesan) separately.



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CHIFFONADE DRESSING

1 cup French dressing.
1 tablespoon lemon juice.
1 hard cooked egg, chopped.
1 tablespoon chopped onions.
1 tablespoon chopped green pepper.
1 teaspoon salt.
Mix the ingredients. Chill, Beat and serve.

OATMEAL BISCUITS

One cup of cold boiled oatmeal,
1 tablespoon butter, 1 tablespoon sugar, 1 tablespoon salt, 1 yeast cake, 1 cup milk or water. Make rather a stiff batter, adding flour enough to do so. Let rise as any bread and bake in gem pans.

A Fish Recipe

These six recipes all demand a white wine sauce. The fillets in each case have been poached. (1) Arrange the fillets on a bed of mushrooms puree, and cover them with the sauce, flavoured with onion. (2) Garnish the fillets with cooked button onions, and small whole mushrooms, and mask with the plain sauce. (3) Mask the fillets with the sauce and garnish them with tinned asparagus tips tossed in butter. (4) Roll the fillets before poaching them, and put each one in a scooped out tomato half which has been cooked in the oven and half filled with minced onion stewed in butter. (5) Mask the fillets with the sauce to which you have added fine chopped herbs and roughly chopped tomato. (6) Arrange the fillets on a bed of stewed strips of lettuce, and mask them with the sauce flavoured with paprika. All these recipes will apply to any other fish.

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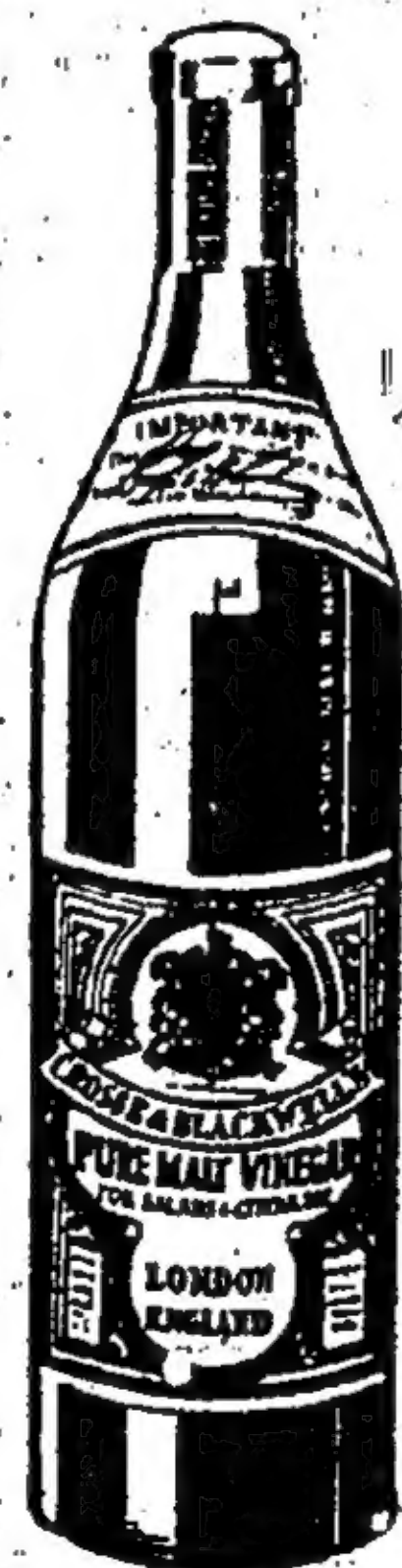
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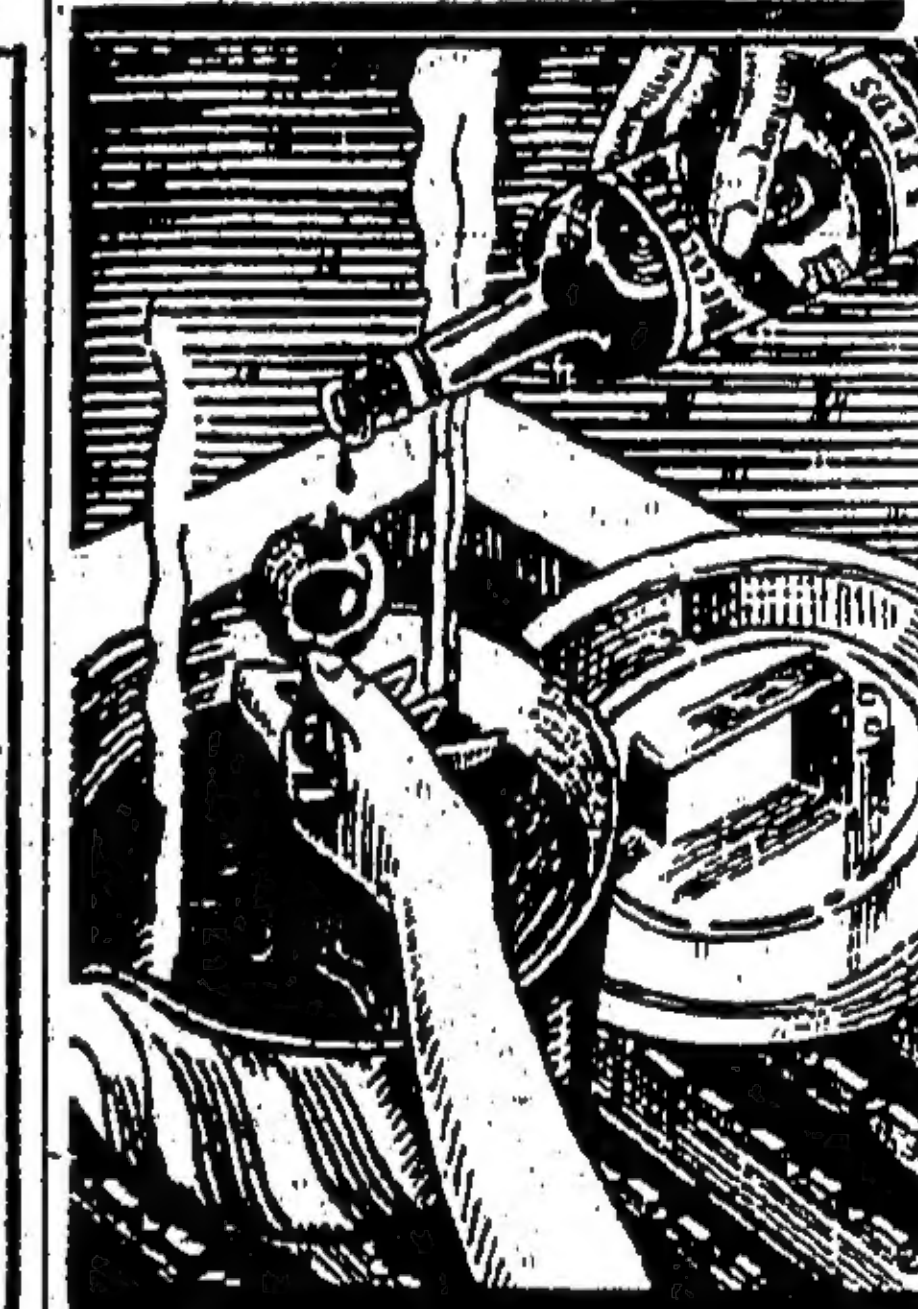
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COMBINATION MEAT LOAF

One pound round steak, 1-2 pound veal, 1-2 pound pork, 1-2 cups bread crumbs, 2 slices breakfast bacon, 1-2 cup milk, 1 egg, 1 cup tomato juice, 2 teaspoons salt, 1 teaspoon pepper, 1 teaspoon onion juice, 1 tablespoon minced parsley.

Trim fat, gristle and bone from meat and put through food chopper, including bacon. Moisten crumbs with milk and add, with beaten egg to meat. Add tomato juice and seasonings and mix thoroughly. Some particular cooks knead the mixture for five minutes before shaping. Shape into a loaf and bake two hours in a moderate oven.

FROZEN VEGETABLE SALAD

One tablespoon granulated gelatin, 3 tablespoons cold water, 2 cups tomato pulp (seasoned), 1 cup chopped green peppers, 2 tablespoons chopped onions, 1 teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon paprika, 1 cup mayonnaise, 1 cup whipped cream. Soak gelatin and water three minutes. Dissolve over hot water and cool. Add tomato pulp, cucumbers, celery, peppers, onions, salt and paprika. Mix mayonnaise and cream. Add 1-3 this to tomato mixture. Pack in mold and freeze, or salad can be frozen in mechanical refrigerator. When frozen, unmold on lettuce and top with remaining mayonnaise.

Without liberty, life to a self-respecting man is not worth living.—Prof. Einstein.



Cheese Hot-Pot

1 1/2 lb. potatoes.
2 onions.
6 oz. stale cheese.
A few drops Worcestershire sauce.
Pepper and salt.
1 teaspoonful chopped parsley.
1/2 pint stock or milk.
2 tablespoonfuls breadcrumbs.

Peel the potatoes, cut into half-inch slices and then into half-inch squares. Chop the onions and grate the cheese. Mix 1 oz. of the grated cheese with the breadcrumbs and reserve for sprinkling over the top. Fill a large pie dish or casserole with alternate layers of potatoes, chopped onions, grated cheese and seasonings. Add the Worcestershire sauce to the stock or milk and pour over the contents of the pie dish. Sprinkle the breadcrumbs and cheese over the top, cover with a lid or grease-proof paper and bake in a moderate oven until the potatoes are cooked and the top is golden brown.

HAM TIMBALES

1 1/2 cups cooked ham, chopped.
1 cup soft bread crumbs.
3 tablespoons chopped celery.
1 tablespoon chopped onion.
1 tablespoon chopped green pepper.

1/2 teaspoon salt.
2 eggs.
1 cup milk.
2 tablespoons butter, melted.

Mix ingredients, fill 2/3 full buttered timbale pans or custard cups. Set in pan of hot water, bake 30 minutes in moderate oven. Unmould, surround with savory sauce.

SALMON MOULD

With Salad

1 small tin salmon, 4 oz. dried peas, 1 packet aspic jelly, 1 small beetroot, 1 pint boiling water, or as required in directions on packet, 1 hard-boiled egg, Lettuce, Salad dressing.

Dissolve the packet of jelly in boiling water, and season if necessary. Pour sufficient of this to cover the bottom of a loaf-shaped mould. Allow to set, then arrange three slices of egg, cover with jelly and allow to set again. Next place a layer of salmon, with sufficient jelly to cover, and when this is set add the peas, which have been soaked and cooked until tender, and cover with jelly. Then repeat with beetroot which has previously been soaked in vinegar. Serve with lettuce and salad dressing.

BOILED SALAD DRESSING

1/2 teaspoonful salt, 1/2 teaspoonful made mustard, 1/2 oz. sugar, 1/2 flour, 1/2 teaspoonful pepper, 1 egg, 1/2 oz. butter, 1 gill milk, 1 gill vinegar.

Mix the dry ingredients with the beaten egg and a little milk, then add remainder of milk. Cook in double boiler for 1 hour. Add butter and vinegar, stir well, and cool.

STUFFED BEETROOT SALAD

2 tablespoonfuls grated young carrot, 2 tablespoonfuls finely sliced centre of cabbage, 2 tablespoonfuls young sweet turnip, boiled dressing, 4 rounded beetroots of similar size, capers.

Remove the root end of the beetroot and trim to cup-like shape. Scoop out the centre or cut out with a grapefruit knife and chop into small pieces with the other vegetables. Mix in a basin with the dressing. Fill beetroot cups with this mixture. Coat with more dressing and garnish with a border of capers and a little chopped beetroot. Arrange on bed of endive.

NASTURTIUM SALAD

Our grandmothers very often used certain garden flowers for the adornment of salads, and we can follow one of their examples by using nasturtiums.

Chopped nasturtium leaves as a filling for sandwiches are quite well known, but you might try cutting up half a dozen of them

A'GLOW FROM THE BATH

In spite of all medical warnings that hot baths should be taken only last thing at night—and that even then they should not be very hot unless specially ordered—most of us go in for them, particularly after strenuous games.

I am not advising hot baths, be it understood. I am merely suggesting that they may be too tempting to be given up. And I think some means of counteracting the rather "fat" feeling that often follows them should be adopted.

A bath brush will do the trick—and help in the "slimming" process if you are conscious of a little too much weight. Several women are now using a neat little affair made of pure bristle set in sponge which gives with every movement. A quick massage with the brush after the bath sets the skin tingling with life and seems to invigorate the whole system. Experience has proved that even five minutes of massage with it improves the circulation and gives a feeling of physical fitness.

COLD-BATH FRIENDS TOO!

Women who shiver at "hot-bath cranks," preferring themselves the Spartan cold-bath-in-the-morning find the brush an equally good friend. Because, once the teens are past, there is often some slight "shivery" reaction to the cold water, however fit the bather may be. Here, then, the friction from the sponge-brush is advisable. Apart from its own healthy action on the skin, the very act of applying the massage gives just the exercise needed to bring the circulation back to normal. It produces a fresh glow, and a general feeling of well-being.

SHAMPOO MASSAGE

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Cut the oranges into slices without skin, pith, or pips, and put them into a dish with the escaped juice. Add sugar as you like, and half a tablespoonful of finely chopped mint for each orange. Add also a tablespoonful of sherry and the same of lemon juice for every four oranges, decorate with small young mint leaves, and serve as cold as possible. Ambrose Heath.

Stuffed Cucumber

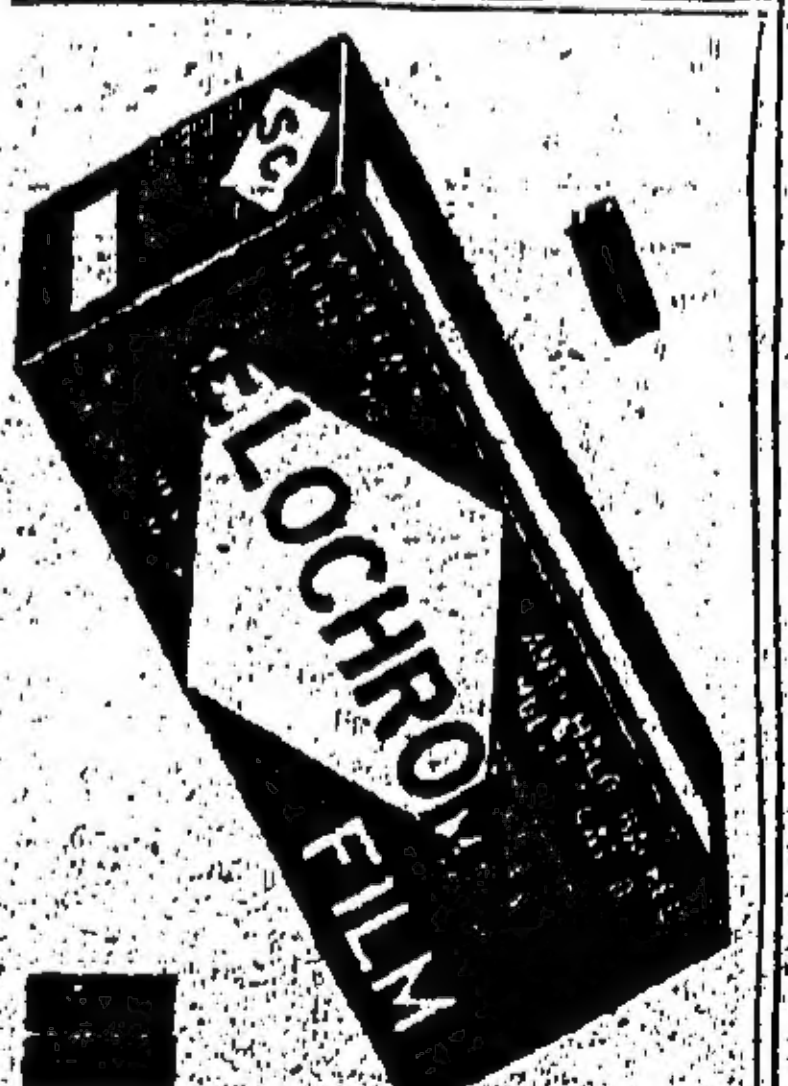
Half-pound minced meat to which add an onion also chopped up fine, soak about four slices of bread and squeeze out the water. To this add your seasoning and an egg, mix well and stuff your cucumbers which have been prepared in the following manner. Cut both ends and scoop out the centre wash them and then stuff them. Place some butter or olive oil in your frying pan, and fry the stuffed cucumbers until nicely browned, then cover and put on a slow fire to cook through. You may treat tomatoes in this manner.

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nell, of Milford, near Godalming,
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lapse of about five years. Then
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role of the wretched "Judy Peters,"
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portrayal that for sincerity ranks
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girl against whom society has pitted
itself with an unrelenting con-
science are those of hundreds of
similar cases that up until now
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their absence from our daily news
and discussions.So delicately is this motif spun
and to such a height does it rise
that for a moment one feels that
life itself has been translated on
the screen. Its types are so true
and finely drawn that for once the
cinema gives us a documentary
work rather than an idyllic por-
trait.The story is as simple or as com-
plex as life. The girl submits to the
knowing cosmopolite. Her degrada-
tion is a matter of time and
finally she wanders off into the fog
of despondency. She is redeemed
by a young doctor who watches her
life from the sidelines.As the doctor, Alexander Kirk-
land does admirably. But full
laurel wreaths are due Dorothy
Jordan whose refreshing beauty and
sincerity of manner in this drama
elevate her to certain stardom."Bondage," in effect, is centered
in a "house of refuge." The terrors
of oppression as exercised by the
matron of this institution take their
toll on its inmates, making cover-
ing creatures of prospective moth-
ers. It is Judy's revolt that gal-
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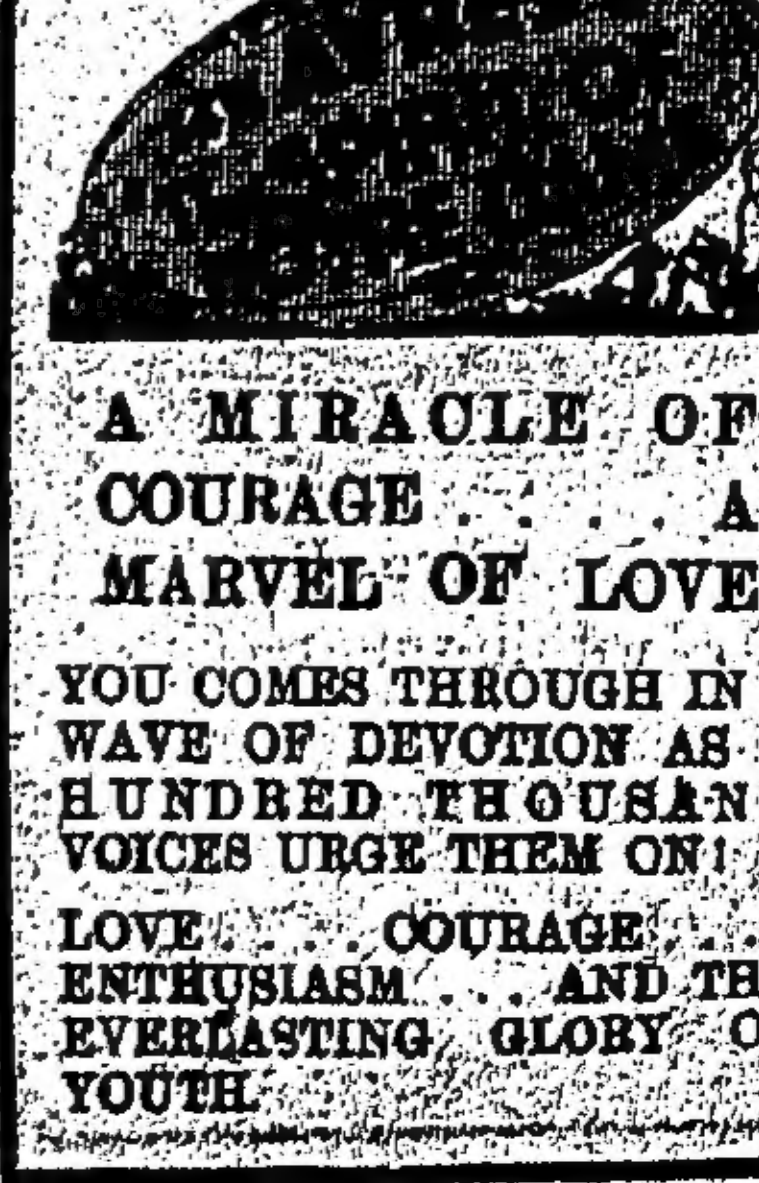
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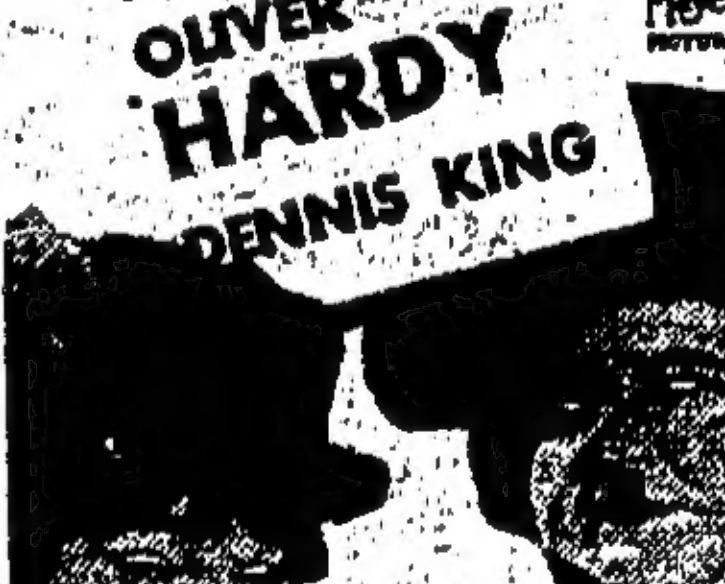
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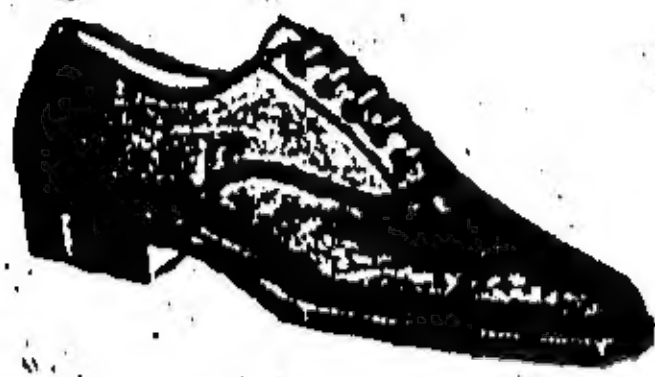
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Victoria Regina is carved above the entrance; but the only authority that was recognised was the almighty dollar. Mr. Crawford was the Governor, and the chess-board pattern, torn, dirty, auctioneer's flag that was stuck over the guard house, was more revered than the flag of England flying in front of it.

Now, gentlemen, what shall I say for this dozen of wines, for these decanters, only ten dollars? They are yours, Mr. Smith. Happy purchaser! Those are the very glasses that were wont to glitter with generous wines in the hands of Generals, Plenipots, and cocked-hats of all kinds; the very glasses which, incited on the Queen's Birthday such loyal and "such atrocious speeches."

Seventeen hundred and fifty dollars for the carriage and horses, as they stood before the door, and knocked down to a foreigner.

both in country and in faith. Soldiers will no longer present arms, nor will civilians lift their hats any more when it passes. Will the horses like the change? Poor things. They cared more for the coachman than the Plenipot. Ross Barbary is always the same, and though pride will never care who is his master. Bolingbroke or Richard, Sasson or Bowring.

Up stairs and down, following at the heels of the Auctioneer, giving unbiased opinions as to the worth of the Governor's furniture and wine, snuffing cigars in rooms ever meant to be smoked in, looking in couches to which they were never invited—the crowd became the masters of all the property offered for sale, and as evening drew in, coolies began to carry things away, wishing all the time, probably that auctions were a little less regular, and gave some chances of loot; while the guard at the gate would probably have been delighted at such a mode of disposing of property as the good people in Paris every now and then make use of, to get rid of the furniture of the Tuileries.

The furniture and plate is dispersed, and a new master will furnish the house. His auctioneer will come in due time, and so will all of ours. So the world runs on into perpetual sale. Houses, linen, plate, thrones, kingdoms always are on sale. "Man too," the head and chief of all things, with all his pomp and pride, dominion and power, is offered and sold at last. "The great universal Crawford knocks us down at his pleasure and we must all wait until the auction is finished, until Time is no more, to see who is the highest bidder for us."

HOW FANG AND CHI ARRIVED IN TIENTSIN

The End Of The Northern Rebellion

THEIR THREE CONDITIONS OF SURRENDER

Peiping, October 16.
A dramatic finish was written late to-night to the riotous chapter of the rebellious movement perpetrated by Fang Chen-wu and Chi Hung-chang when General Ho Ying-chin, Chairman of the Peiping Branch Military Council, issued an announcement to the effect that the two rebel leaders, finally realizing their past mistakes, had already given up their hopeless struggle and left their troops. As suddenly as it started about a month ago the revolt was brought to a conclusion with equal swiftness this afternoon when Generals Fang Chen-wu and Chi Hung-chang, having obtained assurances from the military authorities for their personal safety, left for Tientsin by special motor cars at 4.30 o'clock, arriving in the port city at 8. Temporarily, it is said, the two repentant generals will stay in Chi Hung-chang's private residence in the French Concession.

THE FINAL DECISION

Two differing forces were said to have been responsible for their final decision to abandon their movement altogether, namely the Japanese warning to continue their bombardment should Fang and Chi refuse to evacuate the Tulinchwang region by 3 o'clock this afternoon, as well as the persuasion by a group of delegates from the various charitable organizations in Peiping, urging them to give up the struggle for the sake of the nation and the people as a whole.

A group of delegates from the various local organs, it is learned, left for the front this morning at 11 o'clock to render medical treatment to the wounded, and availing themselves of the opportunity at the front, went to West Hsinchwang to interview Fang and Chi, appealing for peace.

As a result the two rebel leaders despatched Mr. Li Wen-ho and Liu Ti-chuan to Shunyi where they brought surrender terms before General Sheng Chen, Commander of the 32nd Army who in turn transmitted the conditions to General Ho Ying-chin. The delegates' sincerity was further substantiated by the personal arrival at Machiaying of Generals Sheng Sheng Chen and Hsu Ting-yao of their decision to give up the struggle.

SPECIAL TREATMENT FOR BODYGUARDS

The three conditions set down by Fang and Chi for their surrender were as follows.

1. Special treatment should be given to their special bodyguard of 200 men before disbandment.
2. Hope the government will reorganize their remnant troops.
3. Hope the Government will give them official titles and expenses for their trip abroad.

Responding to their requests General Ho Ying-chin promised to distribute \$5,000 among their bodyguards for disbandment. Concerning the second point it was arranged that their troops be placed under the temporary command of General Li Teh-hsin, one of Fang's subordinates, and be concentrated at Tulinchwang waiting for organization. With regard to the third point, however, General Ho said that their personal safety will be guaranteed but the problem of providing them with official titles and travelling expenses abroad has to be considered by the Central Government.

General Ho's replies were considered to be satisfactory, and so at 4.30 o'clock in the afternoon, Fang and Chi boarded the three motor cars specially prepared for them by the Headquarters of the 142nd Division of the 32nd Army, and left for Tientsin.

Before their departure General Fang was said to have expressed deep regret for having launched the refractory movement, saying that he had done a great wrong to the country. He further declared that in the future he hoped to be able to render some other services to the country to redeem his past mistakes.

General Chi said that he would like to take a trip to the United States or to Cuba to study conditions there.—Central News.

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MR. HIROTA'S DIPLOMACY

An Efficiency Drive in the Foreign Office

Tokyo.—According to the *Asahi* Mr. Hirota, the Foreign Minister, contemplates extensive reshufflings in high diplomatic posts. Hitherto, true talent has rather been neglected in the diplomatic service, promotion going chiefly by linguistic knowledge, skill in "conference" diplomacy, and business talent. This weakness was vividly revealed by the course of Japanese diplomacy since the outbreak of the Manchuria affair, it is said. At the outbreak of the Indo-Japanese trade disputes recently, it was also disclosed that few Japanese diplomats are well versed in the trade and economic conditions of India.

Mr. Hirota proposes to put a new face on diplomatic appointments so that the international crisis in store for Japan in 1935 may be tidied over successfully. On due consultation with his subordinates at the Foreign Office, the *Asahi* says, the following have been fixed to ensure the appointment of the right men to the right posts:

- 1.—Ambassadors and Ministers to be chosen from a wider field than hitherto.
- 2.—In order to avoid stagnancy, changes to be made at proper intervals in important posts.
- 3.—In view of the fact that diplomats in constant service in the Foreign Office or at the Embassies and Legations in Europe and America have only a poor knowledge of conditions in South America, the Near East and the East, they are to be transferred to posts in all parts of the world to gain good knowledge and experience.
- 4.—Diplomats who have hitherto been denied such treatment as their personality and talent merit for various reasons to be treated fairly and properly.
- 5.—High family standing or other personal relations not to be allowed to influence future appointments.
- 6.—The decrepit and the incompetent to be dismissed to enhance the general efficiency of the service.

Mr. Yada to Be Given Manchukuo Post

Mr. Yada, Minister to Switzerland, who is shortly coming home, will most probably be appointed a High Councillor of the Manchukuo Government in charge of diplomatic matters. The Manchukuo Government has for some time been desirous of his services as such, and it is expected that on his return home, Mr. Hirota, the Foreign Minister, will ask him to accept the post. In the event of his acceptance of the proffered post, either Mr. Takekoshi, Councillor of the Japanese Embassy in Washington, or Mr. Horinichi, the Consul-General at New York, will be appointed his successor as Minister to Switzerland.

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CANTON RIDE

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONG KONG DAILY PRESS."

Sir,—With reference to the report published in your yesterday's edition regarding the "Canton Ride" run at Macao last Sunday, I wish to state that the "Canton Ride" entirely disassociates itself with this event.

I should feel greatly obliged if you would publish this letter.
M. GAVIN,
Hon. Secretary of the
CANTON RIDE
Canton, October 31, 1933.

THE CHEER-O CLUB

Further Donations to Building Fund

The following further contributions to the Cheer-O Club Building Fund have been received:—

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IN SOVIET RUSSIA TO-DAY

Success Of M. Herriot's Visit

Noskov.
The most distinguished visitor of the Soviet Union in the present year has been Edouard Herriot, ex-Premier of France, now chairman of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the French Chamber of Deputies and influential leader of the French Radical-Socialist Party, the dominant force in the present French Government. M. Herriot, who had paid a previous visit to Russia in 1922, entered the country through its largest Black Sea port, Odessa. After a flying trip through Ukraine, in the course of which he contracted to visit Kiev, Kharkov, the Dnieprostroi hydroelectric power installation, and Rostov, in the capital of the North Caucasus, he arrived in Moscow, where he was received by Premier Molotov, President Kalinin and Foreign Commissar Litvinov, and went through a busy round of inspection and sight-seeing.

Mr. Herriot, who traveled as a guest of the Soviet Government, made an excellent impression on his Soviet entertainers. Quick and responsive to temperaments, he was never at a loss for a graceful word or act, whether it was a matter of showing how a little chore on a Ukrainian collective farm could have been performed more efficiently, or of reciting the first lines of Schubert's song, "Der Erl König," when it was sung at a reception in his honor, or writing an appreciative inscription in the guest book of an aeronautical institute.

Talking with newspaper correspondents M. Herriot parried all questions bearing on Franco-Soviet relations, evidently feeling that it was not discreet to go into too much detail on this subject. But this visit was an unmistakable link in the new chain of friendship which is being forged between the two countries after the old Franco-Russian Alliance had been so completely sundred by the Revolution. In view of the growing tendency of Soviet foreign policy to drift away from Germany and toward France, it would not be surprising if the future would witness an expansion of the present very modest dimensions of Soviet-French trade and perhaps an increasing utilization of French engineers and technical specialists in the Soviet Union. M. Herriot was delighted to learn that a French firm had supervised the designing and construction of the aluminium plant, which is one of the new factories which will receive power from the Dnieprostroi electricity.

Moscow Queues
An interesting subject for a student of sociology is the varying mood of Moscow's numerous queues. A Soviet citizen (or citizeness, for it is usually women who fulfill this tedious task) is apt to spend several hours a day waiting in lines for bread, kerosene, cabbage, milk, soap, and what not. Indeed a line in front of a shop is a hopeful sign; the absence of a line usually means empty shelves. The mass reactions of people in different lines vary quite markedly.

Longest, most tumultuous, most ragged and by far the toughest are the bread lines in front of stores or booths which on certain days sell the

soggy grayish bread that passes for white at the "commercial" price of four rubles a kilogram, which is five times the price of the same bread when sold on ration cards in the co-operative stores. All the people who cannot get ration cards or cannot get enough bread for their needs or for those of their families on the card allotments, swarm to these commercial shops or booths, and it is no uncommon sight to see several hundred people lined up for bread. Exhausted by long waiting, irritated by this daily trial of obtaining the bread, the crowds are almost always querulous and abusive; and accusations of pushing or trying to get ahead in the line unfairly are general, so that the lonely policeman whose task is to maintain order sometimes finds his powers of persuasion and authority strained to the utmost.

During some weeks in the summer when there was an acute shortage of kerosene the queues for this badly needed liquid fuel (most of the private cooking in Moscow is done on oil stoves, or primuses) fairly rivaled the bread queues in strain and roughness. But ordinarily kerosene lines are comparatively short (with from twenty to forty people in each one) and convey a quiet and lifeless impression. Usually the youngest or the very oldest members of the family are seen standing, can in hand, with resigned and uninterested expressions; there is little talk or animation.

In the summer months, when such vegetables as cauliflower, peas and beans make their sole appearance for a few weeks in the year, lines form regularly in front of the stores that sell these vegetables. But these queues, in which there is a larger proportion of men are more polite and refined; one might call them the aristocrats among the Moscow queues. There is much less pushing than in the bread lines; and if someone steps on his neighbour's toes an apology will usually follow—a rare act in Moscow. The purchasers of cauliflower and peas make the impression of constipation a piqued, model crowd.

"Aristocratic Queues"
If the vegetable lines might be called aristocratic the queues in the Torgsin state shops which do business on a strict "gold or foreign currency" basis are certainly, under present Soviet conditions, reckoned from relative plutocrats. For the lucky possessor of a few dollars can purchase in unrationed and unlimited quantities, so long as the dollars hold out, such luxuries as butter and eggs, flour, and sugar, which are either unobtainable or obtainable only in microscopic quantities in stores where the Soviet ruble is an accepted means of payment. The process of completing a purchase in a Torgsin store is long and complicated; there are four distinct lines of persons waiting to get goods, to receive checks for them to pay the checks, and then to receive the goods. The buyers are apt to be fidgety and nervous, counting the cost of every article very closely, and to make their modest treasures go as far as possible.

GLOUCESTER LOUNGE

Modern Premises
Nearly Ready

WHAT THE INTERIOR LOOKS LIKE

Gloucester Lounge, situated on the ground floor of Gloucester Building, promises to be one of the most up-to-date of the lounges and bars in Hongkong, if not in the Far East.

Work has been in progress on the ground floor of Gloucester Building for the past six months and it is hoped that by Armistice Day, the new lounge and bar will be opened to the public.

That no effort has been spared to make the place as comfortable as possible is evidenced by the fact that the best workmanship that could be procured has been obtained. The place is air-conditioned and the temperature in summer will be reduced, while in winter the room will be made very cosy without the aid of electric stoves or fire-places.

Three local firms have been engaged in the construction of the lounge. Messrs. Arts and Crafts are in charge of the whole of the decorations and furnishings, and they have carried out a most effective scheme in ultra-modern style. The flooring, the panelling and the metal work is being undertaken by the Hongkong Whampoa Dock Company Limited, while the evening plant has been installed by the Jardine Engineering Corporation.

Situated right in the heart of the shopping centre, the new lounge promises to be extremely popular. A huge refrigerator in the basement will serve the numerous ice boxes and keep the food fresh and cool. Ice cream, coffee, tea, sandwiches, cakes, cocktails and other refreshments will be available. The lounge will be provided with music from the mezzanine floor which has been reserved for the band, and for the servants.

The furniture in the lounge will be the last word in modernity. The chairs are upholstered in powder blue leather and the tables are also similarly coloured. The wall panelling is of oak, with quartered walnut plywood of Australian manufacture, which has been left in natural colour. It may be mentioned that the furnishings have been specially imported by Messrs. Arts and Crafts.

A NEW BRITISH METAL

With regard to the metal work on the premises, a new and light metal of British manufacture which will not tarnish or lose its colour, has been employed and this is the first occasion in Hongkong in which this metal known as Ardol, has been used.

Bordering the arcade are solid coloured plate glass windows of black and cream. At one corner of the lounge is a show window where cakes and pastries will be exhibited. An attractive and novel feature will be six illuminated mirrors, set into the panelling, and an even illumination of amber light comes through a six foot square mirror in most attractive manner. The centres of these mirrors are also illuminated.

There are no electric fans in the lounge, these being rendered unnecessary by the installing of cooling plant. The windows in the lounge are immense, and to give as much fresh air as possible they have been constructed to open in the Continental manner.

Yet another novel feature will be an electric clock with no figures on the dial. The hands of this clock will be illuminated and the twelve hours will be represented by dots on the glass surface.

It is gratifying to add that practically the whole of the material used, with the exception of one special kind of glass, is British.

HOME DIVORCE COURTS

Well Known Cricketer and 4 Peers Cited

Among the defended divorce suits down for hearing in the Michaelmas law sittings commencing next Monday are the following brought by wives:

Lady Hindlip v. Lord Hindlip (Windsor, intervening).—Lord Hindlip, who is 57 years of age, is head of the Allsopp family. His marriage to a daughter of the late Mr. Harold Nickols took place last year.

Lady Brougham and Vaux v. Lord Brougham and Vaux (Sutton, intervening).—Lady Brougham and Vaux, was Miss Valerie French, a granddaughter of the first Earl of York. Lord Brougham and Vaux is 34.

Wives are also the petitioners in the following undefended suits: Lady Doris, Child v. F. B. Child. —Lady Doris is the elder daughter of the Duke of Newcastle. Lady Doverdale v. Lord Doverdale. —Lady Doverdale, a daughter of the first Viscount Elibank, married Lord Doverdale in 1902. Lord Doverdale is 61.

"INTENTIONS" ON POST OFFICE

Four Men Charged
With Possession
Of Choppers

When he charged four men before Mr. Wynne-Jones at Kowloon Magistrate's yesterday with possession of vegetable choppers, fit for an illegal purpose, conspiracy, and possession of weapons without a permit, Insp. Elston made the announcement that the men had contemplated robbing the Shamshui Post Office.

Defendants were Leung Yuk, Lo Woon, Leung Yau and Kong Cheung. The first three admitted having the choppers but the fourth denied the charge.

Inspector Elston in his opening, said he received information a few days ago that defendants intended to rob the Shamshui Post Office. The scheme, however, fell through as the Post Office closed earlier than usual on the day in question for it happened to be a Chinese festival. Later on, information was received to the effect that the defendants had "intentions" on No. 443 Reclamation Street. The Police had the house surrounded and a close watch kept. At about 9 a.m. on Tuesday, the four defendants were seen in the vicinity of No. 443 Reclamation Street and were arrested.

The first defendant had a chopper fastened to his girdle, while the second had two such instruments and the third another. The fourth defendant had no chopper, but all four had lamp wicks and strings, and these, the Police allege, can be used as gags. A coil of wire was also found in their possession.

Defendants denied the charge of conspiracy and this was accepted. Inspector Elston also accepted the statement of the fourth defendant, as no weapon was found on him, and he was therefore discharged. Mr. Wynne-Jones: "What are these men, do you know? They have not been in Hongkong long. We understand that they attempted to get work at Shingmun."

Inspector Elston submitted that it was clear that defendants intended to rob No. 443 Reclamation Street, and asked his Worship to inflict the maximum penalty. Sentence of a year's imprisonment each was passed on the three remaining defendants.

ASSAULTING A CONSTABLE

An Expensive
Pastime!

Appearing before Mr. Schofield yesterday on the charge of assaulting Chan Sum, a Chinese constable, two men, Lam Mak-wong and Lo Fo were bound over in \$30 each to keep the peace for six months, and second defendant was also fined \$30 or six weeks hard labour.

Detective Sergeant Fitches told the Court that the complainant was a Hoklo, and so were the defendants. The brother had been assaulted by two men in the Central district on October 23, and on finding out that the two men lived in a boarding house in Wanchai run by his friend, he thought he would ask his friend to reprimand the two fellows. He accordingly went to Wanchai, and there by chance met the complainant, to whom he unfolded his story.

They both proceeded to the boarding house, but the friend was not in. The elder brother, however, saw one of his assailants there, and pointed him out to complainant, who took the law into his own hands and gave the man a blow.

They then went away, the elder taking a tram back to the Central District and the constable going on his beat. He had not gone more than eight shop lengths away from the house when he was assaulted by several men, and given a severe beating. One of the assailants was the second defendant, but the man whom the constable had beaten was not in the party who assaulted him.

Sergeant Fitches said that the I.G.P. wished a serious view to be taken of the case, because the complainant was so severely beaten that he was bruised all over the body, kicked and punched, and was in hospital for two days. The complainant would be dealt with departmentally for having assaulted a member of the public.

Lady Allerton v. Lord Allerton.—Lady Allerton is the only child of the late Mr. J. R. Hatfield, of Thorp Arch Hall, Yorkshire, Lord Allerton is 30.

Mrs. C. M. Gilligan v. Mr. A. E. R. Gilligan.—Respondent is the former England and Sussex cricketer.

Champion de Crespigny v. Champion de Crespigny and Boyd is an undefended husband's petition. Gray v. Gray is a defended petition for restitution of conjugal rights by the wife of Mr. Frank Gray, the "Amateur Casual." Liberal M.P. for Oxford City from 1922 to 1924 and a former Liberal

DEMOLITION OF THE BANK

Special Safety
Precautions

The fear of injury from falling masonry, caused by the demolition of the old premises of the Shanghai Banking Corporation, need no longer worry passersby. Special precautions are being taken, and any breaking down of structures so situated as to be likely to fall on the road, is being done during the night or early morning when the amount of passing traffic is minimized.

Watchmen with red lanterns, warning the public of work of this kind, form another precaution.

The stoppage of the Trams which gave rise to some comment was caused, not by carelessness on the part of the workers, but by the general perversity of bamboo scaffolding, which at the best is very flimsy. To cope with this difficulty, the builders are bringing special tubular steel scaffolding out from England and this material will be used throughout in the re-construction. It is a great step forward in local engineering as it will be the first time this material has been used in the Colony.

The coolies who were brought from Shanghai have proved entirely satisfactory and have become such a familiar sight that hardly anyone pays them the least heed as they lift their voices in song while going about their tasks.

The tearing down and the future reconstruction of the premises of the Shanghai Bank appear to be making the beginning of a new era of engineering in the Colony and definitely prove that Hongkong is keeping step with the drums of progress.

THE SCOTS CRITICISED

"The Ancient Virtue
Is Leaving Us"

LAMENT OF A GLASGOW PROFESSOR

"Is the Scottish character running to seed? Granting that we have been in the past a rugged and achieving people, is it not the case that the ancient virtue is leaving us," asked Professor J. D. Mackie in the course of a broadcast talk from Glasgow.

The talk, "The Character of the Scot," was one of the series "Scotland To-day and To-morrow." We were ceasing to be Scottish, Professor Mackie said. We shared with the whole world an inability to do and a tendency to blame everyone but ourselves for our own misfortunes.

After referring to those inventions that had brought Scotland in immediate touch with great world impulses, Professor Mackie said that there was an even greater change. In these days of the generous Carnegie and the all-compensating State, the individual had not to do for himself as he had a short time ago. The family, so long the core of Scottish society, was losing its significance.

Were they not, in a word, becoming pauperised, not only economically, but spiritually? Ready in all things to take, ready to criticise, unable to give?

CHURCH LOSING CONTROL

Spiritually, too, for the Kirk has lost much of its old machinery; and if it was to keep control it must be by other means than those it had used in the past. The Shorter Catechism and all it stood for were losing their power, and with them went that which gave much of its grit and much of its individuality to the Scottish character.

There was still a Scottish character, Professor Mackie maintained, but he did not think it was improving. We had not yet adjusted ourselves to new conditions. The old sanctions have lost their value for the time, and the standards we had adopted in their stead were not providing satisfactory.

Belief in the all-compotence of the State was breeding a lack of fibre; the home was losing its old control, and the school, where teachers are hampered. An exaggeration of the economic aspect of life is sapping the old morality; in business sharp practice and even wangling seem to be ousting the old Scotch ideas of honesty and hard work.

"I believe that, for the present, we have borrowed enough from without," said Professor Mackie. "The world ideas we have already taken are in many ways good, but they have to be realised in practice before they can do good. And to realise them we need not less but more of the old Scotch virtue."

With the possible exception of morals, there is probably no subject on which so many diverse opinions and shades of opinion are held as on milk.—Professor G. S. Wilson.

A WELL-KNOWN CHINESE

Ordered To Pay
Maintenance To
'Kit Fat'

Lo Shun-wan, described as of independent means, was named as defendant in a case before Mr. Schofield yesterday, in which Tong wal-yin, his kit fat wife, claimed maintenance. The defendant was not in Court when the summons was called, and the Magistrate accordingly made an order for Lo to pay \$150 a month, to reckon from May last, and costs to the amount of \$100.

Mr. H. L. Denny, who appeared for complainant, said that defendant was the third son of the late Mr. Lo Koon-ting, who was very well-known in Hong Kong. Defendant was married to complainant, but had dissipated his assets, and taken a concubine. The house in which his wife was living, No. 3, Saigon Street, ground floor, was made over to the concubine, who told complainant to leave.

The complainant had had no means of support for the past six months, having been only given \$40 by the defendant in April. The defendant refused to make any settlement. She estimated that she should get at least \$150 a month.

Defendant got about \$700 a month from a boarding house, and held shares in the Sun Company, the Tung On Life Insurance Company and the Queen's Theatre.

The complainant, and a Chinese constable, who had served the summons then gave evidence. In the absence of the defendant whom Mr. Denny said had probably gone to Canton as he told his wife he was going there.

Mr. Schofield made the order requested for maintenance, the money to be paid into Court.

BUS TRAVELLING IN HARBIN

Doctor Shot By
Policeman

Harbin.

The case of N. I. Tschurilin who was seriously wounded by a detective in a motor bus two weeks ago is attracting very much attention in the town, as since then another case has occurred in which a town policeman beat a chauffeur, seriously injuring him.

Dr. Tschurilin, his wife and daughter were going home one evening in a motor and as the bus was crowded the doctor was standing near the driver's seat. The bus stopped to pick up a Chinese passenger who pushed forward through the standing passengers next to Dr. Tschurilin asking him to move forward, which the Doctor said was impossible as there was no room. Thereupon the Chinese suddenly drew a revolver from his pocket and fired two shots point blank at the Doctor who fell to the floor of the bus. The other passengers became panic stricken and the bus being pulled up they all hastily got out, a motor car being called to convey the doctor to the nearest hospital, while the Police arrested the Chinese.

On an investigation being made it was found that the Chinese was actually a detective, the excuse he gave for the shots being that he thought the Doctor was about to pick his revolver from his pocket, which statement was, however, flatly contradicted by the passengers in the bus. For days the Doctor has been lying in the hospital at the point of death and only during the last couple of days has it become known that there is now a chance of his recovery.

The day before yesterday he was visited by the Japanese Adviser to the Police Headquarters Mr. Yagi and the Russian Secretary, Mr. Brookmiller, who expressed their deep regrets that a member of a Police force should have been responsible for such action and who stated that the policeman would be severely punished, however, yesterday the news spread throughout the town that the policeman had made his escape from the Chinese guards who were set to watch him.

Naturally this has made a further great sensation in the town as there seems to be little doubt that the escape of the policeman was carried out with the connivance of his guards who have been arrested.

PRIMITIVE MAN OF SUPER-BRAIN POWER

Prof. Shellshear's Theory Of A Lost Race

An interesting lecture was delivered yesterday evening by Professor J. L. Shellshear to the University Medical Society on the subject of "Early Man."

The Professor illustrated his remarks by the use of models and casts of skulls of prehistoric and primitive men found and reconstructed by scientists. He pointed out the distinctive features of each of the skulls and traced the brain development of the various types.

One of the interesting statements which the lecturer made was the possibility that a certain type of early man had been "snuffed out." He was a man of big brain development—his skull was much bigger than that of modern man, but there is to-day no trace of him.

The search by scientists in all parts of the world for early man was described, and Professor Shellshear said that it was Charles Darwin who directed attention to the African Continent, in the search for the earliest traces of man. They found there the Neanderthal man and the Old Rhodesian man. The latter had the face of a gorilla, but his cranium was distinctly human. The Rhodesian man was found in one of the silver mines of South Africa, and although his period was not known it was interesting to note that he suffered from many of the dental troubles generally attributed to modern civilisation.

THE CAVE MEN

Professor Shellshear said that some of the line drawings found in caves which have been traced

BROADCASTING IN HONG KONG

Standard Of Programmes to be Maintained

Mr. W. J. Carrie, the Postmaster-General, told our representative yesterday, that as far as the public was concerned there would be no notable change in programmes. Things would go on as before.

Z.B.W.'s library consisted of some 350 records, and a number of samples were expected shortly from Shanghai and Manila. Mr. Bowes Smith was also arriving back in a few days with a £25 consignment of records.

Mr. Carrie said that in many places an annual payment met the requirements of the record producing companies—in Colombo the payment was £50—and he hoped that a similar kind of agreement would be come to in Hong Kong. The demands of the Performing Rights Society would also have to be met, provided, of course, that those demands were reasonable.

As to the use of local talent, Mr. Carrie said that dance orchestras would certainly be broadcast, and other avenues would be explored, provided the public wished for such forms of broadcasting.

It was hoped in the future to obtain records specially produced for radio transmission and with these he hoped that excellent results would be obtained.

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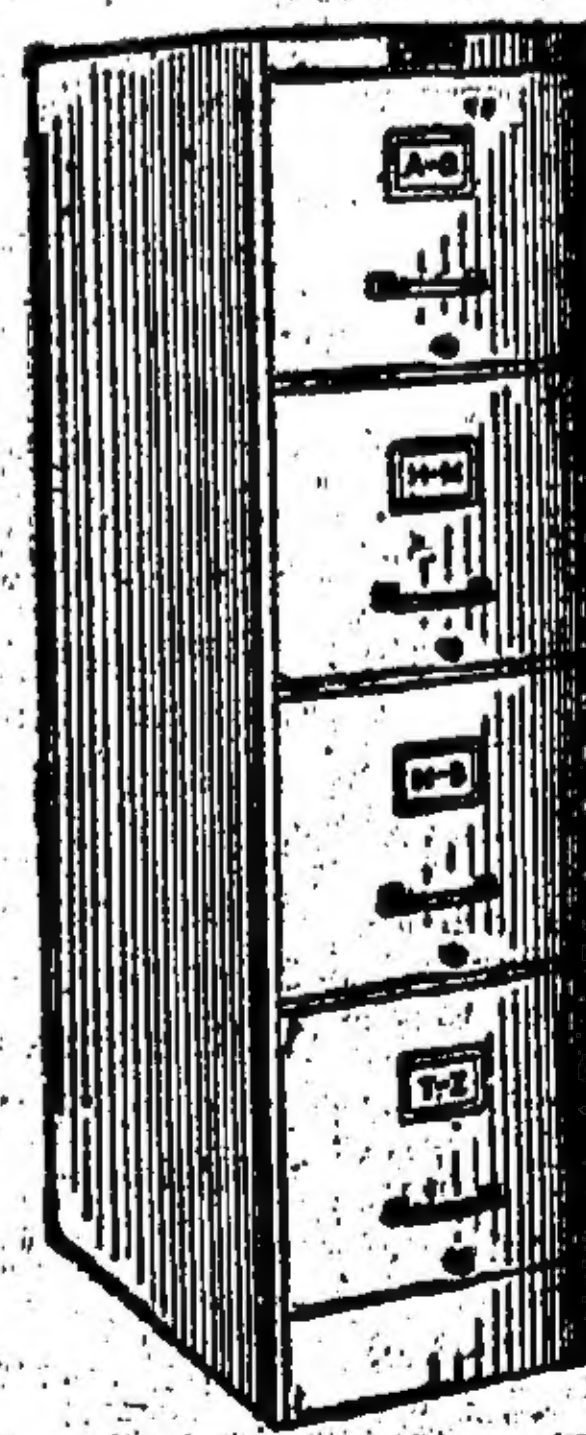
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LOWE, BINGHAM &
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7, Queen's Road, Central,
1st November, 1933.

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THE LONDON SCOTTISH.

A Reunion Dinner of Past Members of "OURS" is being held in the Gloucester Building Restaurant on Friday, 10th November, 1933, at 7.30 p.m. for 8.00 p.m. Will those Members intending to be present please communicate with—

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[1935]

PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on MONDAY, the 6th DAY of NOVEMBER, 1933, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of CROWN LAND at Shamshuipo, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, commencing from 1st July, 1888, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of the Land, for one further term of 24 years less the last three days thereof.

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[1936]

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE TWELFTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 4th NOVEMBER, 1933, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed.

No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure.

Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Room at \$5.00 for Gentlemen, and \$3.00 for Ladies (Both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of All O.K.s, etc.

The Secretary's Office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27794), will close at 12 O'clock Noon.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosures will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

No Pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

Tickets are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Boy in advance. Telephone 31990.

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The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate.

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Bookmakers, The Man, etc., will not be permitted to operate with in the Precincts of the Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

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O. B. BROWN,
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BRITISH POLITICS

No attempt has been made to disguise the significance of the recent bye-election at Fulham. A Conservative majority of 14,521 votes was turned into a deficit of 4,840. Both sides were adequately represented, and Mr. Wilmut the successful Labour candidate appears to have carried the day largely by his advocacy of disarmament and further international co-operation.

The National Government was elected in October, 1931, and has, therefore, three years to run. It has a Parliamentary majority of about 500, and in the ordinary course of events will continue in power for its full five year term.

From a distance of ten thousand miles it is easy to get a wrong impression of the Home political position, especially as most of the British newspapers read in the Colony are supporters, if at times distinctly candid supporters, of the National Government. This is the attitude of most residents. We approve a Government that can, on the whole, be relied upon to pursue a reasonably Imperialistic policy, and to maintain the Fighting Services at proper strength and efficiency. Such a Government is now in power and looks like being established for "at least our time."

It is, however, fatally easy to cherish the belief that socialism is dead; the Trade Unions impotent, the whole Labour Party disunited and discredited and, therefore, the return of the Conservative Party at the next election can be taken as a foregone conclusion. Some what biased reports of political conferences are apt to foster such views, and the Fulham election came as an awkward and uncomfortable warning.

A political party at Home wins or loses support on its Home policy.

Disraeli was a great social reformer, and under him the working classes felt that their conditions were being steadily improved. The Liberal Governments, following the 1906 Conservative debacle, inspired the same confidence. Mr. Asquith and Mr. Lloyd George were for the people and for Free Trade, which was taken to mean cheap food. No one knew what Mr. A. J. Balfour either believed in or would do, and Mr. Balfour was badly defeated at the Polls. On the other hand, the British people are not to be fooled by political clap-trap and bribery. The greatest menace to the Liberal Government was the charge that the Navy was not keeping pace with foreign competition. "England, whatever the needs of social services may be, has a keen sense for national and imperial security, and the suspicion that the Labour Party might let the Army and Navy down, alone prevented those newcomers to political prominence from sweeping the country at least once since the War.

The present danger to the Conservative Party is from its right wing of veteran patriots, who have no belief or interest in social services, in education, in slum clearance, or the fate of the unemployed. They demand "economy" on the one hand, and vast expenditure on armaments on the other. They diligently read immense quantities of statistics, and other improving literature, including the fulminations of their own kind from Tokyo to Paris, both by the Eastern and Western routes. They are full of the dire and diabolical plottings of supposed friends, and warn us that the whole world is ready to up and attack the British Empire. But as to the conditions of the hardpressed working and middle classes they know nothing whatever.

The warning of Fulham is that these men will crash the Conservative Party, if they get a controlling influence, and put an untrammelled Socialist Cabinet in power. The political pendulum swings inexorably in England. Since 1916 the Conservative Party has, with brief interludes, held office, with big majorities. Only by maintaining an excellent record, at Home and abroad, and keeping intact the present link with an important section of Labour, can it hope for another election victory.

LOCAL WEDDING

O'Neil-Kirkbride

A pretty wedding was solemnised at St. Joseph's Church, Garden Road, yesterday when Miss Margaret Kirkbride, younger daughter of the late Mr. Charles Kirkbride, and Mrs. Anna Kirkbride of Liverpool, was married to Mr. William O'Neil, son of Mrs. and Mrs. David O'Neil of Limerick. The bridegroom is the local manager of Reuter's Limited.

The Rev. Father Riganti officiated. The bride presented a very pretty picture when she entered the church on the arm of Mr. D. J. Mackie of the Eastern Extension Telegraph Company. She wore a dress of eau de nil, and was attended by Miss Frances Kelly of Shanghai. The duties of the best man were discharged by Mr. H. Duncan.

After the ceremony, a reception, attended by intimate friends of the couple, was held in the Jacobean Room of the Hongkong Hotel. The honeymoon is being spent, at Repulse Bay.

HOME REVENUE IMPROVES

Expenditure Decreases £30,000,000

London, Oct. 31. The latest Treasury returns show that ordinary revenue for the current financial year up to October 28 amounted to £318,734,323. At the corresponding date of last year the amount stood at £311,570,954. Ordinary expenditure to date for the current year totalled £377,664,382, as compared with £407,780,332 at the corresponding date of 1932.—British Wireless Service.

ATLANTIC CROSSED

By Eight Ton Yacht

London, Oct. 31. Group-Captain Rees arrived at Nassau, in the Bahamas Islands, yesterday, after sailing alone in his eight-ton yacht from Falmouth, via the Azores. The voyage from the Azores took 64 days.

Group-Captain Rees won the Victoria Cross during war by attacking, single-handed, 10 enemy planes. He brought two down and continued the fight, although severely wounded, until the other eight scattered.—British Wireless Service.

I lately expressed a faint hope, which was little more than a fancy, that at last, even at the eleventh hour, it might be possible that Liberalism might remember Liberty.—Mr. G. K. Chesterton.

Mr. Stanley Baldwin is, of course, the bugbear of clubland Toryism. The rage against the Prime Minister is perhaps understandable. But the Conservative leader actually stands for social reform at Home and International Co-operation! In fact Mr. Baldwin represents the political yearnings of the average British men and women. He stands for "Peace in our time" but he is not a pacifist, and at Home he favours no mad experiments with the Banks and the Insurance Companies in which we nearly all have a stake. He is by far the greatest popular asset of the Conservative Party but it is easy to see that because he steals the Socialist thunder, the unduly ardent members of his party denounce him as a socialist, a pacifist, a traitor to their ideals of class favouritism and aggressive imperialism. The ordinary course of British politics suggests that the Conservative party may not retain its majority at the next election, and unless it follows the counsel of men like Mr. Baldwin, Mr. Neville Chamberlain and Major Walter Elliott, rejecting entirely those of Winston Churchill, and Colonel L. S. Amery it will not even be in a position after the next election to put an effective brake on the more extreme proposals of Sir Stafford Cripps.

RESIGNATION OF MR. T. V. SOONG

Canton Still Perturbed

With the resignation of Mr. T. V. Soong from the Finance Ministry of the Nanking Government, concern is felt in the South-west over the monthly remittance of about \$1,000,000 as subsidy and anti-Communist expenses for Kwangtung, Fukien and Kwangtung.

When Mr. Soong was Minister of Finance, he was able to make regular appropriations to Canton where the money is distributed, notwithstanding financial stringency of Nanking. Having the confidence of the Shanghai Chinese bankers, Mr. Soong was able to meet deficits by fresh loans.

MR. KUNG ASSUMES OFFICE

Nanking, Nov. 1. Mr. H. H. Kung assumed office as Minister for Finance at 10 a.m. to-day.—Reuter.

SOVIET AND MANCHUKUO

Further Friction at Harbin

Harbin, Nov. 1. FURTHER friction between the Soviet and Manchukuo, has developed from the recent arrest of three Soviet citizens, including a soldier, on an island in the Amur River.

The island is in the river about forty miles from Aigun and a dispute has arisen regarding its ownership.

A vigorous exchange of protests and counter-protests has resulted from the incident.

The Manchukuo authorities claim that they were within their rights in arresting the men, as the island is in Manchukuo territory, but the Soviet also claims ownership.

Shih Liu-pen called yesterday upon Mr. Slavutsky, the Soviet Consul-General in Harbin, who informed him that the contention that Manchukuo's sovereign rights had been violated was laughable.

Shih Liu-pen said the men might be released if the Soviet acknowledged Manchukuo's rights in the island.

M. Slavutsky's Demand

M. Slavutsky responded by again demanding the release of the arrested men and of the Chinese Eastern Railway officials who are still in custody.

He also alleged the ill-treatment of Soviet prisoners by the White Russians employed in the Manchukuo Police Force.

Shih Liu-pen declared that the release of the men could not be effected as all the arrested were guilty of criminal offences.—Reuter.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The eighth general meeting of the Hong Kong Veterinary Medical Society will be held on Tuesday, November 7, at 5.15 p.m., in the Union Assembly Room, when Dr. K. Mackenzie will deliver a paper on "The Heart—Recent Studies of its Dynamics and Energy Requirements."

Mr. C. F. Alexander, the Traffic Inspector at Police Headquarters, is proceeding Home on leave by the Empress of Canada to-morrow. During Inspector Alexander's absence from the Colony, Inspector A. Nicoll will act as Traffic Inspector.

Vladimir Lich Malkoff, aged 23, unemployed, was charged before Mr. Balfour yesterday with entering the Colony without a valid passport. Defendants arrived here from Canton aboard the Kwong Tung last Sunday. A fine of \$25 was imposed and an expulsion order made.

The case in which a Chinese named Tse Kwai was charged in connection with an armed robbery at 171, Thompson Road Wanchai, on July 18 last, was concluded before Mr. Schofield at Central Magistracy yesterday, when the defendant was committed to stand his trial at the next Criminal Sessions.

"A HAPPY WARRIOR"

On Occasion Of Son's Wedding

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Nov. 1. Gen. Chiang Kwang Nai, hero of many anti-Red campaigns, is a "happy warrior" on account of the marriage of his son Hing Ying this afternoon, as in accordance with Chinese traditions the bridegroom's father is to be congratulated.

Surely enough the gallant general received the congratulation of all the high military and civil officials in Canton, while his 23-year-old son is the recipient of numerous wedding gifts. Intended to be simple and frugal, the wedding ceremony at Hotel Asia, West Bund, was the biggest social event of the season.

Special efforts were made to maintain traffic on West Bund, as a long line of expensive cars filed past the entrance of the Hotel to discharge the distinguished callers. The crowd was kept well in the background, being anxious to take a look at the blushing bride, and the notables who took part in the ceremony.

At a dinner given by Gen. Chen Tsai Tong last night in his home, Gen. Chiang exchanged views with the leaders here on important national and provincial problems, especially with regard to the political situation in Nanking.

PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER

Mr. Man Shu Sing Appointed

(From Our Special Correspondent)

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A maintenance summons against Lo Shun-wan, of independent means, by Tong Wai-yin, his fat wife, before Mr. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday, was duly granted. The Magistrate made an order for defendant to pay \$150 a month to be reckoned from May and costs to the amount of \$100.

The Police Training School and what goes on there forms the subject of an article by our Kowloon correspondent. It will be found on Page 12.

A special description of the new Gloucester Restaurant lounge on ground floor of the building appears on page 7.

Special precautions are being taken in connection with the demolition of the Bank to prevent masonry falling into the road. The public can pass by without any fear.

Interviewed yesterday, Mr. W. J. Carrie, Postmaster General, said that the Radio Programme would go on as before and the public could notice little or no difference.

An allegation that defendants at one time contemplated robbing the Shamshuipo Post Office was made by Inspector Elston at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday when he charged four men before Mr. Wynne-Jones with possession of choppers fit for an unlawful purpose, conspiracy, and possession of weapons without a permit.

An assault on a police constable in Wanchai resulted in two men, being bound over in \$50 each to keep the peace for six months, and second defendant being fined \$50 or six weeks hard labour by Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy yesterday.

Training times appear on Page 11.

Stock Exchange official report & share quotations. Page 13.

TOBACCO COUPON TRADING

To Cease in Britain This Year

London, Nov. 1. The tobacco trade in the United Kingdom will cease coupon trading on December 31, according to an announcement by the Tobacco Trade Association yesterday.

The announcement states that coupons, certificates, vouchers or similar things with an exchangeable value, will only be issued by manufacturers up to that date. Outstanding coupons will be redeemable until the end of February, 1934.—Reuter.

BRITISH AIR-MAIL SERVICE

London, Oct. 31. During the quarter ended September 30, 55,100 pounds of letter air mails were carried from Britain as compared with 39,846 pounds during the corresponding quarter of 1932.

Those to India alone were 14,052 pounds as compared with 9,768 pounds.—British Wireless Service.

PARLIAMENT TO MEET ON TUESDAY

London, Oct. 31. When Parliament reassembles, next Tuesday the first subject of importance to be debated will be the Disarmament question.

The Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, will be the chief speaker for the Government.—British Wireless Service.

DISARMAMENT BUREAU TO RE-ASSEMBLE ON NOVEMBER 9

London, Oct. 31. The President of the Disarmament Conference, Mr. Arthur Henderson, announced yesterday that the Bureau will meet on November 9, as originally proposed, and not on November 3.—British Wireless Service.

It is a little hard, it seems to me, that first the Lord Mayor should speak, and then the Chancellor, and then Mr. Churchill, and then poor me.—Mr. Montagu Norman.

LONDON BANKERS BEWILDERED

AT MR. ROOSEVELT'S
GOLD POLICYRumour Dollar May Rise
In Value!U.S. EXPECTED TO TAKE
"COURTEOUS RESTRAINED POLICY"

London, November 1.
London bankers remain bewildered at Mr. Roosevelt's gold policy and confess their inability to discover a basis fixing the gold price to conclude a price to be determined arbitrarily. It is contended that if the policy even slightly shakes the faith in gold currencies it will have an opposite purpose to Mr. Roosevelt's intentions by encouraging the flight from the franc to the dollar and raise the latter's value.

New York, November 1.
According to Washington correspondents the Administration expects Britain to assume a neutral policy as long as the United States undertakes "courteous restrained operations," which is interpreted to mean merely "token" gold purchases abroad to influence the dollar but not to affect the world's bullion market.

SIGNIFICANCE OF REPUBLICANS' UNREST
It is authoritatively stated that definite advances have not yet been made to London, though the matter is bound to be broached almost immediately.

The "Times" Washington correspondent draws attention to the significance of the Republicans' unrest and declares that all Mr. Roosevelt's "sound money" advisers agree the newest venture will not be abandoned without a trial, but will flop and ultimately Mr. Roosevelt will come to the printing press.

On the contrary, Mr. Edwin Sellman gives the opinion that fears of uncontrolled inflation are groundless as the new liquor revenue alone will wipe out the national deficit. Mr. Sellman asserts that the N.R.A.'s "socialised individualism" has come to stay.—Reuter.

REPUBLICAN ATTACK

Washington, Nov. 1.
Further steps in the President's gold policy are being anxiously awaited.

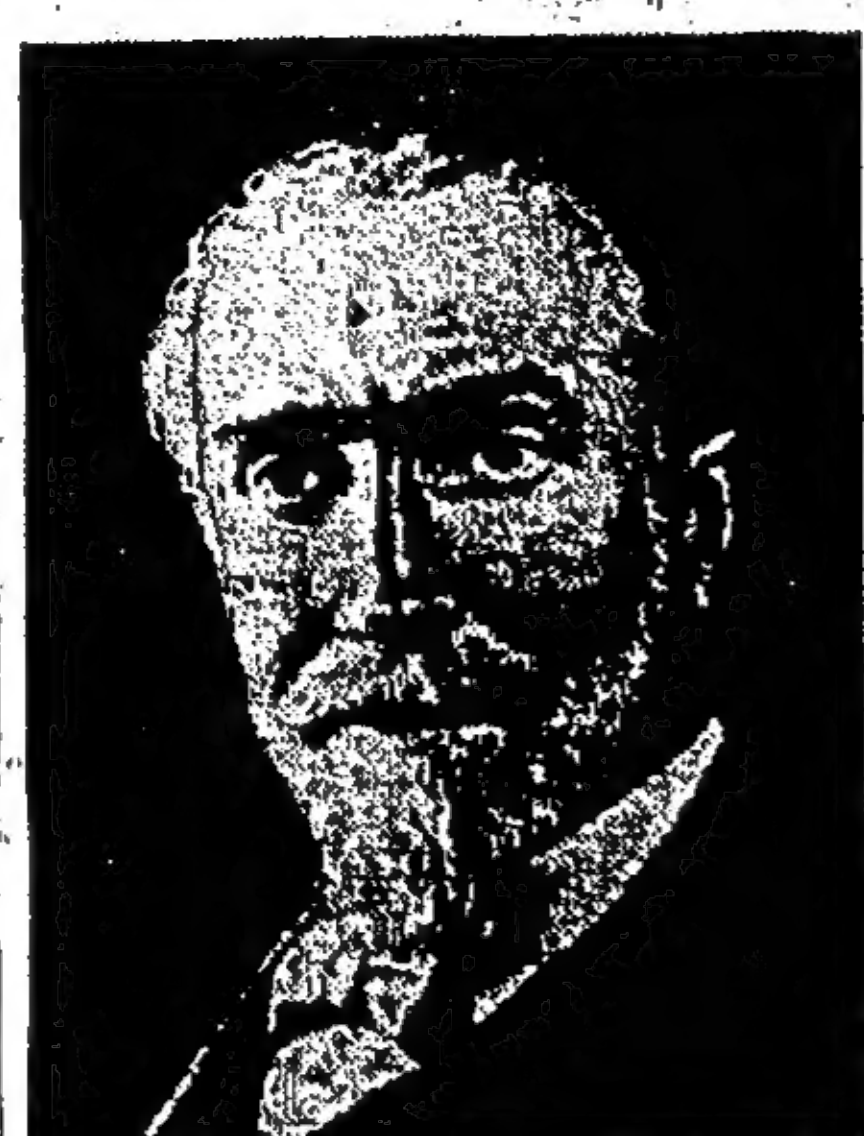
Well-informed quarters state that if this final attempt by President Roosevelt to raise commodity prices by gold manipulation fails, some form of direct inflation will be adopted.

Such inflation once authorised might easily go to the extent authorised by the amendment to the Recovery Act empowering the President to reduce the gold content of the dollar up to fifty per cent. of its present legal content.

Bimetallism
It is suggested that this might be accompanied by some measure of bimetallism.

In the meantime, the Administration is awaiting word from Great Britain on its gold purchase plans before any purchases are made abroad.

One consequence of the gold programme has been a flood of spurious gold mining shares. The political truce which has prevailed since President Roosevelt assumed office, was broken to-day, by the Republican National Committee, which issued a statement charging President Roosevelt with violating many of his election pledges, including those relating to



Mr. Montagu Norman, one of Britain's purloined bankers.

to compel the Administration to formulate a Code for agriculture, and also to raise prices by a stoppage. The farmers demanded an inflation of the currency, the establishment of Government banks, and the re-financing of farm mortgages.

U.S. BANKING
METHODSDisclosures by Mr.
Wiggin

Washington, Nov. 1.
The formation of a series of Corporations to escape taxes was yesterday revealed by the former President of the Chase Bank, Mr. Albert Wiggin, while testifying before the United States Senate Banking investigation Committee.

He said that the directors of the corporations included Mr. Gates McGarr, President of the Bank of International Settlements.

Mr. Wiggin asserted that the Corporations made a profit of U.S. \$10,000,000 in five years but lost U.S. \$25,000,000 from participation in pools and syndicates with the Chase Securities Corporation.

WILD LIFE IN
AFRICAReserves Now Being
Considered

London, Oct. 31:
FOURTEEN countries were represented at the International Conference which opened at the House of Lords, London, yesterday, to consider means of preserving and protecting the flora and fauna of Africa.

Lord Plymouth and Sir Samuel Wilson, Under Secretary for the Colonies, in welcoming the delegates, emphasised the need for new methods to control the indiscriminate destruction of wild life. The British Government felt that the problem was urgent and the work of the Conference might well afford a basis for the protection of nature in other parts of the world.

Lord Onslow, President of the Society for Empire Fauna Protection, who presided over the Conference, detailed some of the articles in the draft convention prepared by the British Government with special reference to the constitution of national parks and reserves.

A general discussion followed, and the Conference resumes to-day.—British Wireless Service.

LAND SPEED
RECORDCreated By John
Cobb

Brooklands, Nov. 1.
John Cobb, driving a 500 h.p. Napier-Railton, in a high wind, broke the world's record for the mile and kilometre from a standing start for two runs.

The speed over the kilometre averaged 88.14 m.p.h., while that over the mile averaged 102.52 m.p.h.

Previous records were held by the late Harry Thomas 86.50 for the kilometre, and 100.71 m.p.h. for the mile, and Kaye Don with 100.71 m.p.h.—Reuter.

Conte di Savoia, which are obviously reaping the benefit of the advertisement gained by the Rex last August, when she crossed from Gibraltar to New York at an average speed of 28.29 knots.

Lord Weir is understood to have advised the Government that, in his view, the mammoth liner is a paying proposition. If, therefore, it is found feasible to restart work on the giant Cunarder and to lay down a sister vessel, there need be little fear of a bad bargain. And, at the same time, Britain's prestige on the seas would receive a much

SENSATIONAL
MURDER CASEFrenchman Sentenced
To DeathVICTIMS DISSOLVED IN
"SULPHURIC ACID"

Paris, November 1.
One of the most sensational murder cases in recent years terminated in Aix-en-Provence when Georges Sarre was condemned to death and two attractive sisters named Schmidt were sentenced to penal servitude for life.

The band it is alleged is stated to have systematically committed murders after heavily insuring the victims. In two cases, they are alleged to have dissolved the victims in a bath filled with sulphuric acid and then poured the resultant solution in the garden.

Intense public interest was manifested at the trial and this necessitated a heavy guard of special gendarmes around the Court.—Reuter.

SILVER MARKET

(From Our Special Correspondent)

London, November 1.
Following are the Silver Quotations on the London market to-day:

Nov. 1	Oct. 31
Spot	135/16 134
Forward	137/16 133
The London on New York cross rate to-day closed at 2-U.S. 4.79.	

WHY MAMMOTH
LINERS PAYDemand For Speed
And ComfortCASE FOR NEW
CUNARD

What is the ideal Atlantic liner of the future like from the owners' and the passengers' points of view, "liner" in this connection meaning the kind of ship likely to be patronised by the highest class of ocean traveller?

I have put this question to half a dozen prominent shipping men, who, not being connected with any "crack" North Atlantic lines, are impartial judges, writes the London Daily Telegraph Shipping correspondent.

One and all declare that the lion's share of the best and most profitable passenger traffic has, always been, and always will be, captured by the ship that combines the greatest comfort with the highest speed. And that combination is possible only in the super-liner, modern examples of which are the Bremen, the Italian Rex, and the French Normandie.

Efforts are now being made in American shipping circles to displace the super-liner and "boost" the moderate-sized vessel of about 30,000 tons. It is significant, however, that until lately the United States was proposing to build two 60,000 ton ships of the highest speed. The abandonment of this plan, owing to financial reasons, may account for the sudden American conversion to moderate-sized ships.

BRITAIN'S URGENT NEED

It would seem, therefore, that the British Merchant Navy stands in urgent need of ships such as the suspended Cunard liner of 72,000 tons, which is no longer a secret—has been designed to break all existing speed records with a handsome margin to spare. Until we possess such ships the foreigner will continue to pocket the richest dividends on the North Atlantic route and elsewhere.

The following comparative totals of first-class passengers carried between Europe and the United States during 1932 tell their own tale:

Cunard Line	10,993
White Star	8,471
Norddeutscher Lloyd	22,666

These figures relate to a period prior to March of this year, after which date the political situation changed in Germany.

That the German line's first-class traffic should have been during that twelve months more than that of the two British lines together was, it is certain, due entirely to the possession of the two record-breaking ships, Bremen and Surina.

HEAVY ITALIAN BOOKINGS

Moreover, returns just to hand show very heavy bookings by the new Italian express liners, Rex and

NEW HARBOUR
AT HAIFAPalestine Trade
Expanding

London, Oct. 31.
The magnificent new harbour at Haifa, the first to be constructed in Palestine since Herod built the port of Caesarea in honour of his imperial patron, was formally opened yesterday. It transforms the unprotected roadstead into the finest harbour in the Levant.

Under British rule Palestine has regained its pre-eminence as a trading centre and as the highway joining Western Asia with Northern Africa. Palestine is actually one of the most prosperous countries in the world to-day and Haifa is the nerve centre of its commercial development.

The opening of the harbour, which has cost about £1,250,000 and which encloses an area of 400 acres, was yesterday the occasion for the exchanging of wireless messages between the High Commissioner, Lt.-General Sir Arthur Crenell Wauchoppe, and the Colonial Secretary, Sir Philip Cunliffe-Lister.

The High Commissioner expressed belief that the harbour would result in an increase of prosperity to Palestine whose rapidly expanding trade it was primarily designed to serve.

Having referred to the fact that it would not have been built had not the British Government guaranteed the loan raised by the Palestine Government to provide the necessary capital.

Engineers Congratulated
The Colonial Secretary, after congratulating the Harbour Works Department and the consulting engineers, Messrs. Rendel, Palmer and Tritton, mentioned that during the four years of harbour construction, Arabs and Jews had worked together, and that about 70 per cent. of its cost had been spent in Palestine itself.

Having referred to the great value that such harbour must be to Palestine, the Colonial Secretary made an outspoken reference to the recent riots.

He said, "To-day's ceremony is overshadowed by the deplorable disturbances which have taken place. I would speak very plainly to the people of Palestine."

Thirteen years ago, Great Britain accepted the Mandate of Palestine. That Mandate carried with it a clear duty to the Arabs and to the Jews.

That duty will be discharged fully and fairly and without fear or favour.

"There is, under the Mandate, an obligation to facilitate the establishment in Palestine of a national home for the Jewish people. But at the same time, there is an equally definite obligation to safeguard the rights of all the inhabitants of Palestine. Both obligations will be most carefully observed. It will be the constant aim of British policy to foster and promote the well-being of all Palestine."

"Plans are now in hand, in which the High Commissioner has had a great personal share, which will materially benefit all classes of the community."

"That work will go forward. But there is a paramount duty to preserve law and order. That duty too will be most thoroughly discharged."

Tribute To Police
"I wish, here, to repeat the tribute I have already paid to all ranks of police for the fortitude with which they have carried out their duty. Law and order will be maintained throughout the land."

"Palestine is fortunate in having, at this time, a High Commissioner devoted to its interests, and one who every man in Palestine knows in his heart is fair and just. He has the complete confidence of His Majesty's Government, and I appeal to all men of goodwill to give him their loyal support and co-operation in his work for the common good of all."—British Wireless Service.

NO MORE "NASTY
MEDICINE"

Halibut Liver Oil

TASTELESS AND
CONCENTRATED

The Chemists' Exhibition, which opens at the New Hall of the Royal Horticultural Society, brings to the end the threatening phrase "Nasty Medicine." No longer will the children be coerced by threats of cod-liver oil administered in gigantic capsules; no longer will the dyspeptic or the invalid complain that he might be restored to health if only he could stomach his medicine. For the chemists have so successfully put their minds to the subject of eliminating the unpleasant taste and appearance of medicine that the taking of modern medicine is almost in danger of becoming a vice.

"Take the case of cod-liver oil. For instance, Cod-liver oil, the doctors very properly assure us, has enormous health-giving properties, but there must be thousands of people who would almost forego a return to health rather than endure a tablespoonful of it. The chemists have therefore conspired to produce a new medicine having the same properties, but so highly concentrated that where a tablespoonful was needed before, only a drop is wanted now. This is an extract of halibut-liver oil, which is sixty times as strong as cod-liver oil, and is almost tasteless."

DISINFECTANT NOVELTY
Then there is the important

ARAKI'S PEACE
PROPOSALSWelcomed In German
Circles

Berlin, September 1.
The suggestion made by the Japanese War Minister, General S. Araki, for the convocation of Far Eastern Peace Conference, finds support in German semi-official circles.

The latter declare that peace in the Orient is of the greatest importance, and also for States apparently not directly concerned with that part of the world.

The Conference would be of the greatest value to overhaul the Nine Power Treaty and the Naval Treaties of London and Washington and to bring Japanese policy within the framework of international politics.

The Japanese suggestion for a non-aggression pact with the Soviet is considered most significant in view of Japan's coolness when the Soviet proposed a similar pact last year.

The "Berlin Tageblatt" considers that General Araki's plan is designed mainly to take the wind out of the sails of the Soviet Commissar, M. Maxim Litvinov, when the latter goes to Washington to negotiate for American recognition of the Soviet.—Reuter.

JAPAN'S NAVAL
PROPOSALSDenied By Navy
Office Spokesman

Tokyo, November 1.
Making an informal statement regarding the report that Japan is prepared to scrap her submarines and aircraft carriers, provided other nations will do likewise, a spokesman at the Navy Office declares that it is a gross misrepresentation of Japan's stand which has not been altered since the Disarmament Conference.—Reuter.

question of disinfectant. For many years chemists have been at work trying to devise a disinfectant which will be effective in dairies and in the sheds where cows are milked without affecting the taste of the milk. Milk, as everyone knows, is highly susceptible to scours in the air, but at last the experts have devised a disinfectant which can be employed not only in the dairies, without affecting the milk or butter, but which can actually be employed during that most critical period when the cows are being milked. This newly-

RESTRICTION OF
RUBBERDifficulties may be
Overcome

London, November 1.
The "Financial Times" Amsterdam Correspondent says that well-informed circles are convinced that the Rubber Restriction Conference at Batavia on November 22 will be able to smooth over the native difficulties.

Batavia cable opinions say the Conference will be the principal attempt so far to reach a regulation of the rubber situation, which opinion is based on memoranda by Government Commissioners in native rubber districts in Sumatra and Borneo to the Government which it is reported considers an ad valorem duty the most simple solution to the problem.

Nevertheless, there are local objections against the proposition that the quantity of exportable rubber should vary in accordance with a fixed price schedule, which it is stated is most unsuitable to poor native rubber districts.

The Conference will therefore, endeavour to reconcile local difficulties with the paramount importance of Government interference in the industry.

The Dutch anticipation that the restriction scheme is crystallising is borne out by the fact that Dutch growers are at present not concluding forward sale contracts beyond February.—Reuter.

invented spraying material has the additional advantage of keeping flies and insects away from cows while they are being milked, and so prevent them from being tormented at a moment when immobility and peacefulness are most required.

It was stated yesterday that a similar preparation is being manufactured for use by human beings, and will shortly be put on the market. This will keep off flies and mosquitoes, will have no smell, and will not evaporate.

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HOME FOOTBALL NEWS AND FORECASTS

Last Week Eleven Winners Out Of Twelve

SELECTIONS FOR NEXT SATURDAY'S MATCHES

BY "LEFT OUT"

Last week in this column, eleven home winners out of twelve forecasts were given correctly. Two away winners were also spotted, and also two draws out of four. This works out at a total of 71 per cent correct estimate of 21 games.

In this week's selections, all the Home teams of the 1st Division are favoured, except Huddersfield who should beat Everton.

In the Second Division Grimsby should beat Millwall, and Bolton defeat Southampton despite the handicap of the ground.

In the Scottish League Motherwell are the only visitors favoured.

Full list of selections follows, together with results of the past three years and the League Tables as they stand at present.

Saturday's Fixtures

FIRST DIVISION				
	1930	1931	1932	Results
Arsenal v. Plymouth	1-1	3-3	2-0	
Birmingham v. Liverpool	2-0	5-1	3-0	
Blackburn v. Wolves	—	—	—	1-0
Derby v. Leicester	1-0	1-1	3-2	
Everton v. Huddersfield	—	—	—	4-1
Leeds v. Aston Villa	0-2	—	1-1	
Manchester C. v. Sunderland	2-0	1-1	2-4	
Midbrough v. Stoke	1-0	5-3	2-0	
Newcastle v. Sheffield U.	1-1	2-2	2-2	
Wid. v. Chelsea	1-1	2-2	2-2	
W. Brom. v. Tottenham	0-2	—	—	

SECOND DIVISION				
	1930	1931	1932	Results
Blackpool v. Brentford	—	—	—	2-1
Bradford C. v. Burnley	3-2	1-2	2-1	
Bury v. W. Ham	—	—	—	6-1
Fulham v. Manchester U.	—	—	—	1-1
Hull v. Notts C.	—	—	—	0-1
Lincoln v. Grimsby	—	—	—	0-1
Millwall v. Preston	—	—	—	1-0
Notts C. v. Oldham	2-0	1-1	2-4	
Port Vale v. Bolton	—	—	—	2-1
Sheff. Wed. v. Bradford	2-1	1-0	3-1	
Swansea v. Cardiff	—	—	—	3-1

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)				
	1930	1931	1932	Results
Barnsley v. Wrexham	1-1	2-2	2-1	
Chester v. Barnsley	—	—	—	2-1
Crawley v. Gateshead	2-2	3-5	2-0	
Doncaster v. Mansfield	—	—	—	2-2
Hull v. Darlington	1-0	0-3	4-2	
Leeds v. Accrington	0-0	2-1	2-2	
Stockport v. Chester	0-1	—	—	1-1
Walsall v. Southport	2-0	0-1	3-1	
York v. Tranmere	3-1	3-2	0-1	

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)				
	1930	1931	1932	Results
Aldershot v. Southend	—	—	—	1-2
Brighton v. Bristol Rovers	4-0	2-0	0-3	
Bristol C. v. Exeter	—	—	—	0-1
Clapton O. v. Gillingham	—	—	—	1-1
Luton v. Coventry	2-0	3-1	4-1	
Newport v. Bourne	7-3	—	—	1-1
Norhampton v. Reading	2-4	1-0	—	2-0
Norwich v. Cardiff	—	—	—	2-0
Queen's P. R. v. Charlton	—	—	—	3-1
Swindon v. Crystal P.	4-4	3-2	1-0	
Torquay v. Watford	3-1	3-6	3-2	

SCOTTISH LEAGUE				
	1930	1931	1932	Results
Aberdeen v. Kilmarnock	2-0	1-1	7-1	
Airdrie v. St. Mirren	3-0	0-2	1-3	
Ayr U. v. Third Lanark	3-4	1-0	—	
Celtic v. Partick	3-1	1-2	1-2	
Dundee v. Motherwell	2-1	2-2	0-3	
Falkirk v. St. Johnstone	—	—	—	1-1
Hamilton v. Hearts	3-2	1-4	3-2	
Hibs v. Cowden	1-0	—	—	1-1
Queen's P. v. Queen O.S.	—	—	—	5-1
Rangers v. Clyde	5-1	2-2	2-2	

Some Bewildering Tricks

"NOBODY CAN TEACH"

"When preparing to kick the ball, stand slightly to the side, place your foot at this angle, toe down, keep your eye on the ball, brace the muscles of the leg at the moment of impact, and then look for an easier game to learn."

Sounds utterly ridiculous, doesn't it? But it is the kind of advice that has had to be offered to a fair percentage of football pupils eager to learn how to improve their game. With the exception of the latter part of the lesson! It is not diplomatic—or should we say courteous—to tell an enthusiastic youngster that he has no chance of developing into a useful footballer.

Yet it would be kinder to do so at the outset, instead of leading him on blindly to think that with intensive coaching and perseverance on his own part he would one day blossom forth as a more than ordinarily useful exponent. For there is this truth about the boy and his Association football—if he cannot kick a ball naturally and without instruction from an expert, he will never be able to play in the true sense of the word.

The cricketer, the golfer, the tennis player—all have the opportunity, to develop with more certainty, because the strokes are "set" and it is infinitely easier to use the hands than the feet. That is one reason why small towns and villages—Brixham, Newton abbot, Bideford, Barnstaple, and numerous other Devon localities, to confine myself to the county good Rugby footballers to one moderate Association player!

Many first-class League men are definitely of the opinion that it is impossible to teach a youngster how to play. A natural "accomplishment," they say—"football" being born and not made. I believe Alex James rather inclines towards that view too.

The question demands an inquiry. If the aim is the top of the tree there must necessarily be a firm natural foundation. I can say with some certainty that Alex never passed a stone or a tin can without having a kick at it in his boyhood days. It is equally certain that all the foot and body

found that, now delight the crowds found their birth in the Bellshill main street and were developed in the Scottish juvenile and junior football circles.

IT CANNOT BE DONE

Nobody taught him how to pass his foot over a ball sell the dummy with a body feint. It can't be done—for the simple reason that nature takes a hand, providing the groundwork, and inclination and opportunity did the rest. But Alex—like almost every so-called football "star"—necessarily takes a somewhat lofty view because he knows that seventy-five per cent of his ball-play is controlled by instinct and the subconscious mind. How is it humanly possible to convey this to a pupil? The proved expert, fit and well, has a bad game occasionally. Sometimes the opposition gets on top of him; more often than not the lost form results through "instinct" going to sleep!

All this apart, I still believe that the proper subject can be moulded and turned out of the football factory with a better prospect of becoming a telling cog in the team machinery than under the present haphazard system. There is hardly any system at all, as a matter of fact. It is perfectly true that Joe Nicholls, Whitley, Rowe, O'Callaghan, and perhaps one or two more of the Spurs men who faced us at White Hart Lane last Saturday "arrived" via Northfleet, the recognised Tottenham nursery, and that several other first-class clubs in the country have "depositories" for promising young players—but how much material has been permitted to fade between the fourteenth and sixteenth year? Nobody is particularly interested in them until they look the part physically!

THE FULHAM SCHEME

Mr. McInnes, the Fulham manager, is credited with saying that he intends to comb London for the players he cannot get reasonably through the transfer market. An ideal: a worthy pursuit, too, but a long one and one that is certain to allow many good fish to slip through the net be-

cause such a search necessitates the employment of numerous scouts and judges. Wherein there is a snag... good judges of a footballer are more scarce than the footballers!

But Mr. McInnes is at least trying to probe a way out of transfer problems and the prevailing shortage of players. At the same time, he will be very fortunate if he uncovers one player who will be fit for Second Division—or First Division—company within a year or two. He doesn't need to be told that! And unless there is a truly remarkable transformation the position will be exactly the same four years hence.

Why not anticipate those four years by gathering the footballing youth of London in the professional atmosphere? Arsenal, Tottenham, Chelsea, Fulham, Millwall, every centre must be chock-a-block with young players, good and bad, who have jealously read—or heard—of the Corinthian scheme for coaching, now nearing its termination.

FROM THE BAD BOYS

With all due respect to the Corinthians and their association, experience has taught us that the brightest stars of the football firmament hail from the huge army of boys who have been allowed to be "as bad as boys can be," ed to be of trivial trouble, their football regularly in the hands of the mender because they couldn't keep their feet still when there was something to be kicked. Imagine the mental effect of bringing the more promising of this material into personal contact with well-known players who previously have been only names of figures in the distance!

Harboured at Highbury, shown how we prepare for a match; taught positional play and all the other rudiments of the game in company with the men they respect—as far as football is concerned, at any rate—and you have the real incentive which is sadly lacking at the moment. There may be no Heaven-sent Gallochers, Gunnings, or Morfons amongst them, but there would certainly be a fair percentage of players who would develop sufficiently to hold their own in first-class company; a percentage that, now goes, adds a long way towards solving a growing football problem within the next four years. I honestly believe the Corinth-

ians have set the ball rolling in the right direction. The football factory has had the foundations laid. Will the clubs continue the building?

NOTES ON PLAYERS

Aldershot, who rarely make a trip North that is unproductive, have taken a good lad from Harton Colliery in Albert Robinson.

Sheffield United made inquiries at Leeds headquarters respecting Wilkinson, understudy to either of the brothers Milburn, but had little encouragement.

Bury have approached Bradford with a view to getting them to talk business about Dickinson, their left-half. Last season, Newcastle displayed a lively interest in him.

English League scouts have been to Caerphilly, in South Wales, where several players have been attracting attention. Two players who are being keenly sought are E. Cowley, goalkeeper, and W. Piper, a back.

Leicester are the latest; English club to be credited with a fancy for Sim, the Arthurie outside-left.

Sidney Lawrence, Swansea's back, is one of the many defenders under consideration by Liverpool.

Charlton will not retain Dakin, the young outside-right, from Barry, who completes his month's trial this week-end.

A Nottingham club's efforts were not entirely blank when they set inquiries afoot respecting Bird, the Plymouth inside forward.

Now that Aston Villa have righted a slight flaw in their own ranks, Oldham are hopeful that they will be more amenable to reason in respect to inside-forward Beresford.

Manager Neil McBean, of Watford, was approached during the week by another London club to name a figure for McPherson, their outside-left. A deal may yet come off if Watford's fee comes down a little.

Sam Weaver, the Newcastle half-back, who is as noted for his boundaries as a batsman as he is for his long throws-in as a half-back, has accepted an offer to join the ground staff of Derby County Cricket Club next season.

Timbrell, the young amateur who made his League debut for Swindon at Coventry, was originally an inside-left, but has now been given the extreme berth by "Ted" Vizard. He should know an outside-left when he sees one.

Swansea are watching Fred Huggins, a young centre-forward from Milford Haven. Huggins had a trial with Stoke, but refused to sign on. He scored 60 goals for Milford Haven last season, when he was only eighteen years of age.

It is rumoured that Preedy, who kept the Watford forwards at bay for Bristol Rovers last week, is to receive dozens of chamois gloves from his teammates and directors. Preedy wore lemon-coloured gloves against Watford.

"There's More Fish"—Although regularly losing the services of their star players, Grimsby are firm believers in the old maxim, "There's more fish in the sea than ever came out," and possess the happy knack of being able to hook them. Martin Ruddy, a South Bank lad, who had a trial with them last season, is well thought of, and he will probably land in the Grimsby net before long.

The Proof.—Southport have found an excellent reserve goalkeeper in Terence Kearney, a local lad, who has played with Barrow. He has appeared in three second team games at home and has still to bend his back to pick a ball from the net. Terence is a proof-reader on a Southport paper and works throughout Friday night, but there is nothing sleepy about his work on Saturday afternoon.

From The Clouds.—Kingsallen, the former Stockport forward, has joined Grantham in unusual circumstances. Out of work, he was tramping through the town on a job-searching tour. Someone remembered that he had played for the Chester S.C.A.A.'s Eleven and Athletic. He got in touch with him. There, and then his search ended by his being signed for the club.

FANLING GOLF

The competition, arranged by the R.H.K.G.C. in aid of the Joint Council of the Royal Red Cross Society and the Order of St. John of Jerusalem in England, attracted 93 entries. W. A. Stewart, all square, wins the trophy. Commander Dockey, one down, was second.

NIGHT STAR IN FINE TRIM

Should Walk Away With Australian St. Leger

(By "MORNING DEW.")

The training yesterday morning has revealed one thing definitely, that Night Star, the Champion Australian pony is in great fettle and that there is very little chance of any of the other ponies entered for the Australian St. Leger beating him. He covered a mile in convincing fashion.

Brechin moved very well as did Don, King Salmon, Daylight Eve, Vigilance and The Tiger. Trentbridge did very slow work but the pony is in great form and there is not much likelihood of his being beaten.

The times taken yesterday are as follows:—

	Dis-	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Last
	tance.	Qr.	Qr.	Qr.	Qr.	Qr.
Blue Star	1	30.2	1.14.4	1.40.1	2.20.3	31.2
City of Brisbane	1	35.3	1.00.1	1.41.2	2.11	29.3
Maria Petra	1	40	1.15	1.46.1		31.1
The Tiger	1	33.2	1.04.2	1.36.4		30.2
Cluckypast	1	37	1.16	1.50	2.24.1	34.1
Jungle Jim	1	40.3	1.18.1	1.52.3		34.2
Friar Tuck	1	39.1	1.13	1.41		28
Brechin	1	38	1.06.2	1.38.2		32
Warrington	1	35	1.10.1	1.44.4		34.3
Helter Skelter	1	38.1	1.11.4	1.43.3		31.4
Gold Ring	1	42.3	1.30.3	1.56		35.2
Diana Bay	1	32.2	1.03.2	1.32.4		29.2
King's Bounty	1	38	1.11.2	1.41.1		29.4
Poverty Bay	1	47.3	1.25.2	1.59	2.31.2	32.2
Mignonette	1	38	1.14	1.48		34
Marquis Hall	1	40	1.13.2	1.54		35.3
Trentbridge	1	39.2	1.14.3	1.45	2.14.4	29.4
Portia	1	35	1.03	1.34	2.01.3	27.3
Vigilance	1	38.4	1.21.1	1.58.2	2.29.3	31.1
Valorous	1	30	59.1	1.31.4		32.3
Charming Star	1	30	1.13.3	1.49	2.21	28
Jack Sharkey	1	35.1	1.08.3	1.43		33.2
Iron Grey	1	33.1	1.06.3	1.42		33.2
Solar Star	1	36.3	1.12.2	1.44.2		32
Mayflower	1	39	1.16.3	1.49	2.20	31
King's Justice	1	35.1	1.09.2	1.41.1	2.11	29.4
Daylight Eve	1	37.4	1.13.4	1.47.3	2.18	30.1
Mon Talisman	1	39.1	1.17.4	1.53.3	2.26.1	33.1
Night Star	1	34.3	1.04.3	1.33.2	2.01.2	28
Per Se	1	42.3	1.19.1	1.53.2	2.25	31.3
Californian	1	42.3	1.19.1	1.53.2	2.25	31.3
Cessack's Choice	1	38	1.08	1.39.2	2.07.2	28
Golden Dawn	1	40	1.18.1	1.54	2.24	30
Tillicum	1	38.3	1.14.4	1.49.1	2.21.3	32.2
Black Velvet	1	34	1.06.3	1.41.3		35
Charming Face	1	34	1.06.3	1.41.3		35
De Minimis	1	38.2	1.14	1.48.2	2.21	32.3
Hey Tor	1	38.2	1.14	1.48.2	2.21	32.3
The Crook	1	36.3	1.10	1.42.2		32.2
Powerful King	1	36.3	1.10	1.42.2		32.2
Golden Dragon	1	40	1.17	1.52	2.26.3	34.3
Jingle	1	40	1.17	1.52	2.26.3	34.3
King Salmon	1	39	1.16	1.50	2.23	33
The Cavalier	1	48	1.31	2.08	2.40	39
Fi-Fa	1	48	1.31	2.08	2.40	39
Don	1	41.4	1.18.3	1.51.4	2.21.1	29.2

Hockey

CENTRAL BRITISH AND CLUB DRAW

Central British and the Hong-kong Hockey Club seniors played to a scoreless draw yesterday afternoon upon the Marina Ground. The game was keenly contested throughout the two periods, with the Central British having a slight advantage on the run of the play.

Jats Beat Recreio
In the match between the Jats and the Recreio Club the former emerged victorious by a one goal to nothing. Sakawat Ali scored in the first half.

LOCAL FOOTBALL

Lincolns-Athletics Match Postponed

The match fixed for Sunday next 5th November, 1933, between Chinese Athletic and Lincoln Regt. Division I, H.K. League, will not be played on that day. This match has been postponed until Sunday, 12th November, 1933.

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In the match between the Jats and the Recreio Club the former emerged victorious by a one goal to nothing. Sakawat Ali scored in the first half.

CRICKET

Recreio v. Police

The Club de Recreio's Cricket XI to meet the Police in a League game on Sunday November 5th at King's Park (2 p.m.) will be as follows:—

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H.K.C.C. and XI V. R.A.M.C. at Sookunpoo Saturday 4th Nov. at 2 p.m. will be as follows:—A. K. Muckenaie (Capt.), H. J. Armstrong, C. W. E. Bishop, C. E. Gahagan, A. H. Harbord, L. D. Kilbee, H. J. D. Lowe, A. D. Lowson, R. S. W. Paterson, J. E. Potter, J. E. Smith.



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ONE-CLUB GIRL
GOLFER

Attire Amazes Crowd

BLACK TROUSERS AND
JUMPER

Westward Ho. — Miss Gloria Dorothy Minoprio, the one-club golfer, made a most amazing and startling appearance in the English women's championship here. She drove to the course in a grey saloon motor, and as she walked towards the teeing ground, a gasp of astonishment went up from the spectators.

Miss Minoprio was dressed in black trousers, a black polo jumper, a close-fitting black hat, and black shoes—a dark back-ground against which the deathly pallor of her cheeks and a pair of yellow chamois leather gloves shewed in vivid contrast.

Referring to Miss Minoprio's attire, Miss Lloyd Williams, the chairman of the championship committee, said, "I much regret there should be this departure from the usual golfing costume at the championship."

The statements was endorsed at the annual meeting of competitors, held at the end of the day's play. Later Miss Williams said, "What can we do officially?—Precisely nothing."

"BETTER THAN SKIRTS"

Miss Minoprio's view on the subject of trousers was, "I find them much more suitable and comfortable than skirts, which in a wind are constantly getting in the way."

Aged 23, Miss Minoprio is a tall, stately figure. Upon her arrival at the tee she bowed to her astonished opponent, Miss Nancy Halsted, of Banstead Downs, and the match began. Miss Halsted hit a crashing drive straight down the course, whereupon Miss Minoprio prepared to take her shot.

Her one club is a long, steel-shafted, chromium-plated iron, with an unusually long blade, made to her own design. Her caddy carried a spare iron "in case," she told me, "I break the other." But the spare iron was never brought into use, all the work, from driving to pitching and putting, being accomplished with the other. She did not threaten Miss Halsted, who won by 5 and 3.

A CURIOUS STYLE

Her style is a little curious. She takes two or three practice swings, then addresses the ball, and finally makes the swing without grounding the club. It is a full swing, conducted at an even pace, length being obtained not so much by power as by rhythm and good timing.

Miss Minoprio obtains a reasonably good length in the driving and in the second shots, but generally her approaching is disappointing.

A NEW MUSICAL
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For The Trembling Hand

A new musical instrument has been invented to suit this modern age. It is a metal rod wired up to a wireless set. The player stands in front of it and moves a trembling hand in the air, nearer or further from the rod.

The instrument has a range of nine and a half octaves, and the performer at the International Exhibition of Inventions, which opened this afternoon at the Central Hall, Westminster, played jazz and classical music on the instrument, which has a tone something between a cello or a violin and a guitar.

The exhibition is an astonishing display of ingenuity. There are cabinets which produce any required tone of a lever; motor head-phones that follow the turn of the front wheels going round corners; car bumpers that put on the brakes directly the car records the number of calls made, the name and number of trunk calls and their cost; a that can be taken off on the beach bathing dress as the bathers dress without alarming Mr. Grundy; and 100 other gadgets to make life easier.

Smokers who want a pipe that cleans itself can find it here. Lord Akwith, President of the Institute of Patentees, opening the exhibition, said that some of the 250 new inventions displayed came from countries as far away as India, South America, Austria and Poland.

"There are 22 new inventions by women," he said, "and for the first time, inventions connected with wireless have been shown by women. I was specially interested in a process by which you can raise seeds at any time, in any soil, in any country in ten days."

THE GREAT U.S.
EXPERIMENTSidelight On The New
American Religion

NOT ENTIRELY "BALLYHOO"

Washington, Sept. 25. "We cannot ballyhoo ourselves back into prosperity," said President Roosevelt when he was inaugurated. The coming winter will show whether the President was right then or he is right now.

The present N.R.A. campaign is not entirely "ballyhoo," that usual American term conveying the impression of high pressure publicity, the stirring of mob enthusiasm and a lot more besides—there is a vague general plan behind it all, but it is difficult to see its outline and even more difficult to get any of those closely associated with the campaign to sketch that outline. They are prophets more than precise teachers.

They have a cult for which they must rouse enthusiasm, a product which they must "sell," so they combine the tricks of modern advertising with the methods of revivalist religion and the public responds to such a technique as only an American public can.

There is excitement, movement, a constant chorus that better times are coming. It is preferable to the dismal sitting still, with despair not hope as the watchword, which preceded the Roosevelt campaign. N.R.A. does not merely stand for National Recovery Administration in the eyes of the general public. It is Novus Religio Americanus.

It sums up and embraces completely their hope for the future. The Blue Eagle has become a religious symbol, like the Crescent of the Saracen or the Swastika of the Nazis. The public sign codes and papers and display the Blue Eagle in their windows without realizing what it means. They watch parades bigger than any circus parade in honour of their new totem. If they turn on the wireless they hear about it, if they go to the cinema the Blue Eagle calls from the screen taking credit for the news pictures of industrial activity; if they pick up their papers they read columns after columns about recent N.R.A. developments.

What N.R.A. Stands For

The mainpring for all this activity is on the fourth floor of the new Department of Commerce building which the National Recovery Administration has taken over completely. There you find a bustle and hum twenty-four hours a day work proceeded at such a pace, departments were organized and reorganized so swiftly, that even the employees did not know from day to day where their office would be in the early days. The tale is told that Professor Skyles, one of the statistical experts, hurried along from his office to confer with a colleague for a few minutes and arrived back to find his office taken over by another section of the administration.

Problems to Meet

There was the problem of giving the unemployed work to do so that they would not think of revolution. The problem of making the wheels of industry start moving and people start spending to absorb the increased industrial production, which in its turn absorbed the unemployed. There was the further problem of giving the farmer a price for his crops which would cover his costs of production and leave him with something over to buy the products of industry and pay off his debts. There was finally the banking problem and the credit and currency problem each in itself sufficient to tax the ingenuity of the administration.

LORRY DRIVER
SENTENCEDFor Not Stopping
After Accident

"I am going to make an example of you," stated His Worship Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday afternoon when pronouncing sentence upon Kong Sam, who was charged with manslaughter following the death of Siu Yuk Kwong. "But for the fact that you did go and report the accident to the police I would confer the maximum penalty. I am going to teach drivers that their first duty following an accident is to stop. I sentence you to three months imprisonment."

The first witness called for the prosecution, conducted by Inspector Saunders of the traffic department, was Chung Sam who stated that he saw the little girl, Siu Yuk Kwong, running across Kwelin Road. A lorry, number 1565, which was coming down the street hit her the left front wheel passing over the child. Although the driver turned his head and gazed in the direction of his victim he did not stop and the witness ran after his car and procured the license number.

Questioned by the Magistrate as to their being any other occupants in the car the witness replied in the negative.

What Happened After Accident. "What happened after the child was knocked down?" he was asked.

"A large crowd gathered around," he replied, "and then a woman whom I think was her mother carried her away."

"His Worship then asked the accused if he understood the witness, and if there were any questions he wished to ask."

"Accused" enquired if witness had accompanied him to the police station and if he had gone with him and a man from number eleven to the girl's home, to which the answer was "No!"

Question of Profession. The next witness called was Wong Ching Lam, who seemed to

have some misgivings concerning his profession but produced a card which cleared matters up by proving him to be a substitute steersman boy. He was identified by a sister of the deceased.

He claimed that he was in a house, 42 Kwelin Road on the first floor, when the accident occurred. This was at 10 a.m. He saw the sister of the deceased rush into the house to tell her mother of the mishap.

Asked if he saw the accident he replied that he did not and did not observe the lorry.

The accused was then asked if he cared to question the witness.

"Did you go to the station with me?" he asked.

"No," the witness replied "I was there and you came in."

"Did you not say you saw the accident?"

"No!"

"Would not call Witnesses. Why did you report and not the girl's mother?"

"She asked me to."

The accused was given the opportunity of calling witnesses but declined stating that he did not know he had injured anyone and intended to put away his car and then go to the police station and report. He stated that he visited the girl at her home and she did not seem badly hurt.

"Are you suggesting that she died of other injuries than those received by the car?" questioned the Magistrate.

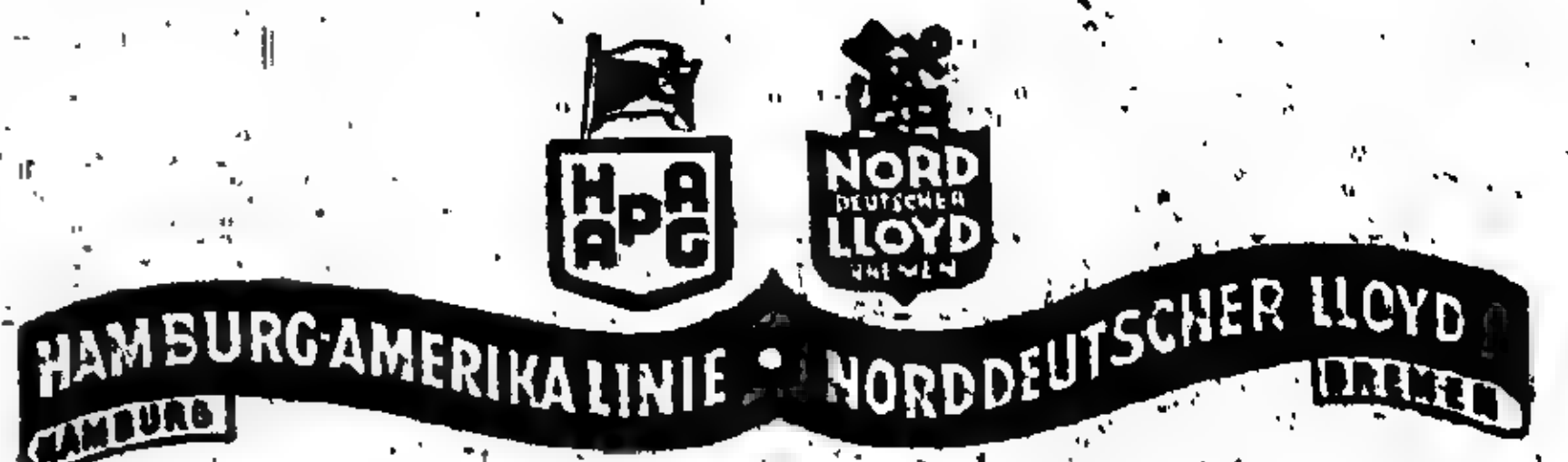
"I do not know," the accused replied and then reiterated his statement about going to report.

"That is not why you didn't stop," said His Worship. "You have been convicted out of your own mouth. You know the lorry was in a dangerous condition and that the brakes were worthless. You couldn't stop."

The sentence was then pronounced.

"Another case against the accused for driving a car with a load protecting more than nine feet was also dealt with and upon the plea of guilty a warning was issued."

"Asked if the accused had anything to say he replied, 'Why no option? I help the Government who Government no help me?' To which His Worship answered, 'I am not going to allow people to have accidents and not stop.'"



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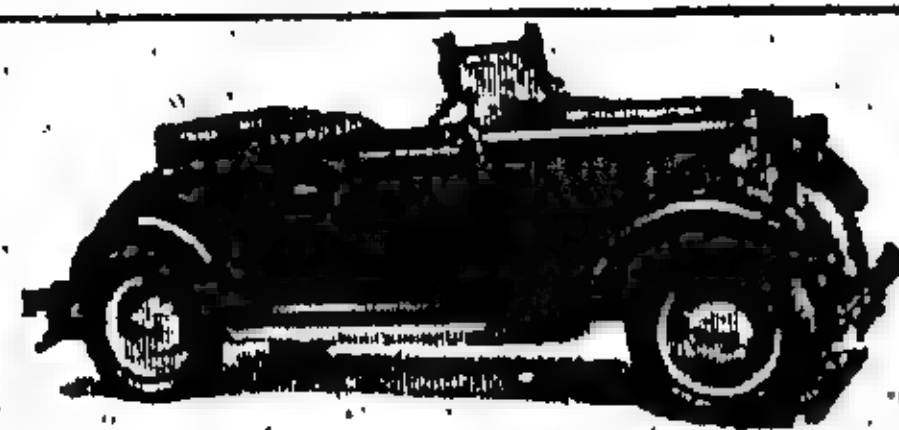
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(By Our Special Correspondent)

How many people realise, I wonder, what goes on at the Police Training School. This place, situated at the junction of Nathan Road and Prince Edward Road, seems inconspicuous enough to the casual passer-by who does not give a second look to the place; unless there happens to be a parade going on at the time.

In the old days, the Police Training School was actually in Police Headquarters at "Central," and then when this "school-room" was found to be inadequate, it was moved to where the Upper Levels Police Station is now. From this spot another migration took place and according to a high official it is likely to remain here until the new Police Training School at Stanley, next to the new prison, is ready. The idea, for this will seem to be quite sound when it is explained that for purposes of instruction etc. for the men, as much quiet as possible is desirable. Then again, with the Training School next to the gaol, there will always be a large number of men at hand should any emergency, such as a mutiny, arise and that will save the necessity of stationing a special guard in the prison.

THE COURSES

But to return to the subject of the present School, classes are held here every day with instructors for the European, Indian and Chinese recruits. The men are here for periods varying according to their requirements. For instance, a European recruit spends six months in the school and finishes the other half of his course in one of the Stations, but the Indians and Chinese spend between six to nine months here.

Apart from the fact that the men are put through their paces regularly, classes are conducted

where Police Regulations and the local Ordinances are taught, the recruits. The instructors are all qualified men, and so far as drills are concerned, there is a special instructor for this and another "expert" instructor for musketry courses. These instructors are specially picked men, and so well-versed are they in their special departments, that sometimes a full-fledged officer is sent back for "refresher" courses before being sent out to take charge of one of the stations in the outlying districts.

Not only are policemen trained in this School but District Watchmen and members of the crews of all police launches must serve their "apprenticeship" here. Then again, when an officer is due for promotion, he must go over to the Training School where all promotional examinations are held, and it is on occasions like these that the instructors are worked overtime, dealing, as they are expected to, with officers from all stations, not only in Hong Kong and the mainland, but also the New Territories, Cheung Chau and the other Islands.

I also learnt that the Police Training School is put to a very useful purpose, and that is, it serves as temporary detention quarters for deportees, from Singapore. Formerly, these men were housed in cells fitted up in the gymnasium at Central, but this was found to be unsuitable, and they were accordingly moved to the Police School.

The above is the first part of the article I propose to do on the School. I have been promised a "tour of inspection" of the place, and when I have done this, I will write, in detail, all about the work that goes on in the School, for it should be of interest to know how our guardians of the peace are taught to do their work.

AN AMERICAN IN ENGLAND

The Corn Counties at
Harvest Time

This is the gold season of harvest-home; and vividly do I remember what that means! All through the southern shires and far up into the eastern counties the wheat and oats and barley—all the grains that the English call "corn"—are standing ripe now in the little fields, or are shrinking before the reapers into ever smaller and smaller quadrangles, or else have been already gathered into stocks. The beauty of these ripe grains, and especially of the wheat, goes beyond imagining. One must see it, or else, remember, in order to know how gold can marry crimson and the two hues become one. Certainly no American who has never seen any but our western wholesale and highly mechanized agriculture can imagine the charm of those tiny grain fields in which every inch is used every year, and used with deep understanding affection. Machines, to be sure, have long been at work in these fields, but they do not dominate the scene. Even today men and nature cooperate there from the time of sowing to harvest-home, and the result of their joint labor is fairer to the eye than anything that machines alone can produce. Every stem and blade and ear, every furrow and clod, looks as though it had been handled tenderly. For my part, I have never been able to understand how the people of the corn counties can find time or the interest for gardening when they have their fields to tend and to admire. Odell Shepherd in the "Christian Science Monitor."

SINKIANG COMES UNDER SOVIET

Reds Rapidly Absorbing
Szechuan

Tokyo, Oct. 24.
According to information received by official circles here from Peking, Dr. Lo Wen-kan, former Chinese Foreign Minister, who is now in Sinkiang Province, has reported to the Nanking Government that Sinkiang has completely been Sovietized and is under the control of the Third Internationale. Dr. Lo is reported to have found that Gen. Ma Chu-yang's troops were trained as a "Red" army and expulsion of the "Red" influence from Sinkiang will be difficult now. Japanese sources predict that one-third of Szechuan will be in the hands of Reds if the Communist forces under Hsu Hsiang-chien cross the Chukiang, which is now believed here only to be a question of time, in view of the wide influence of the Reds in that area. Hsu's troops have occupied several districts northwest of the Chukiang during the last few days and have captured Sanhui, a strategic point on the river. Cities and towns southeast of the Chukiang are now menaced and the people are taking refuge in Peking, Changshou, and Chungking. Gen. Wang Ling-chi, commander of the Third Division, 21st Army, under Gao Lin Hsiang, commander-in-chief of the Szechuan Bandit Suppression Forces, has advanced as far as Tachin to stop the eastward advance of the bandits. Meanwhile, the notorious Ho Lung has advanced from Lichuan, in Hupeh, to the south bank of the Yangtze and is trying to establish contact with Hsu Hsiang-chien. United Press.

INDUSTRY IN MANCHOUKUO

Plans For Exploiting Resources Of New State

A Hsinking dispatch to the Asahi gives a summarized list of new enterprises which are being pushed in order to exploit industrial resources in Manchuria and Mongolia. The list is substantially as follows:

1.—Iron & Steel.—Although as the result of the stoppage of the import of Swedish pig the future of the munitions industry has been viewed in a pessimistic light, the Pankhu Iron Foundry has now succeeded in turning out pig-iron of low phosphorus content suitable for munition making. The Showa Steel Works will therefore absorb the Pankhu Works and start a big iron and steel industry.

2.—Munitions.—With a capital of ¥9,000,000, a munitions company called the Mukden Arsenal has been established some time ago. This Arsenal will manufacture mining explosives and agricultural and commercial implements in the ordinary times, and serve for the industrial development of the country.

3.—Motor-cars.—In order to vie with the motor-car industry in other countries, Manchukuo will have an independent industry for herself.

4.—Aluminium.—With the recent success of extracting aluminium material from "fire-proof" clay, of which there is an unlimited supply in Manchuria, there is a ray of hope for the establishment of this industry. The South Manchuria Railway Company will spend ¥350,000 for experimental work on a large scale so as to make the industry commercially feasible.

5.—Magnesium.—Manchukuo has a rich supply of magnesite. A Japan-Manchukuo joint company, with a capital of ¥7,000,000, will be established. This Company will have factories not only in Ube and Naomachi, both in Japan, but also in Manchukuo.

6.—Collieries.—A Japan-Manchukuo joint company, with a capital of ¥16,000,000, will be established. This Company will operate all collieries in Manchukuo except Fushun and Yantai.

7.—Liquid fuel.—A Company, with a capital of ¥6,000,000, will be established. A new factory is already in the course of construction in Dairen. The Shale Oil Factory of the Fushun Colliery will be expanded, and the manufacture of motor spirit will be started. The manufacture of substitute fuels is also being projected.

8.—Explosives.—The manufacture of explosives is at present free but will be made a monopoly of the Manchukuo Government in the future. The manufacture will be confined to the Mukden Arsenal.

9.—Weights and Measures.—The weights and measures law will be promulgated in January next year. Under a five year programme, a ¥1,600,000 company will be established so as to manufacture scales, measuring instruments, etc. A special organ for supervising weights and measures will be founded.

10.—Electric power.—Japanese and Manchukuo power companies, which at present exist separately, will be amalgamated. The new Company will have a capital of about ¥100,000,000.

FORMS OF ENCOURAGEMENT

For the healthy progress of these industries, the Manchukuo Government some time ago effected a revision in the tariff. A study is progressing for a further revision. A special committee will be organized for control of labour. The East Asiatic Industrial Association, whose main mission is to form an economic league in East Asia, is to sponsor exhibitions, fairs, etc. in Japan for the development of industry in Manchukuo.

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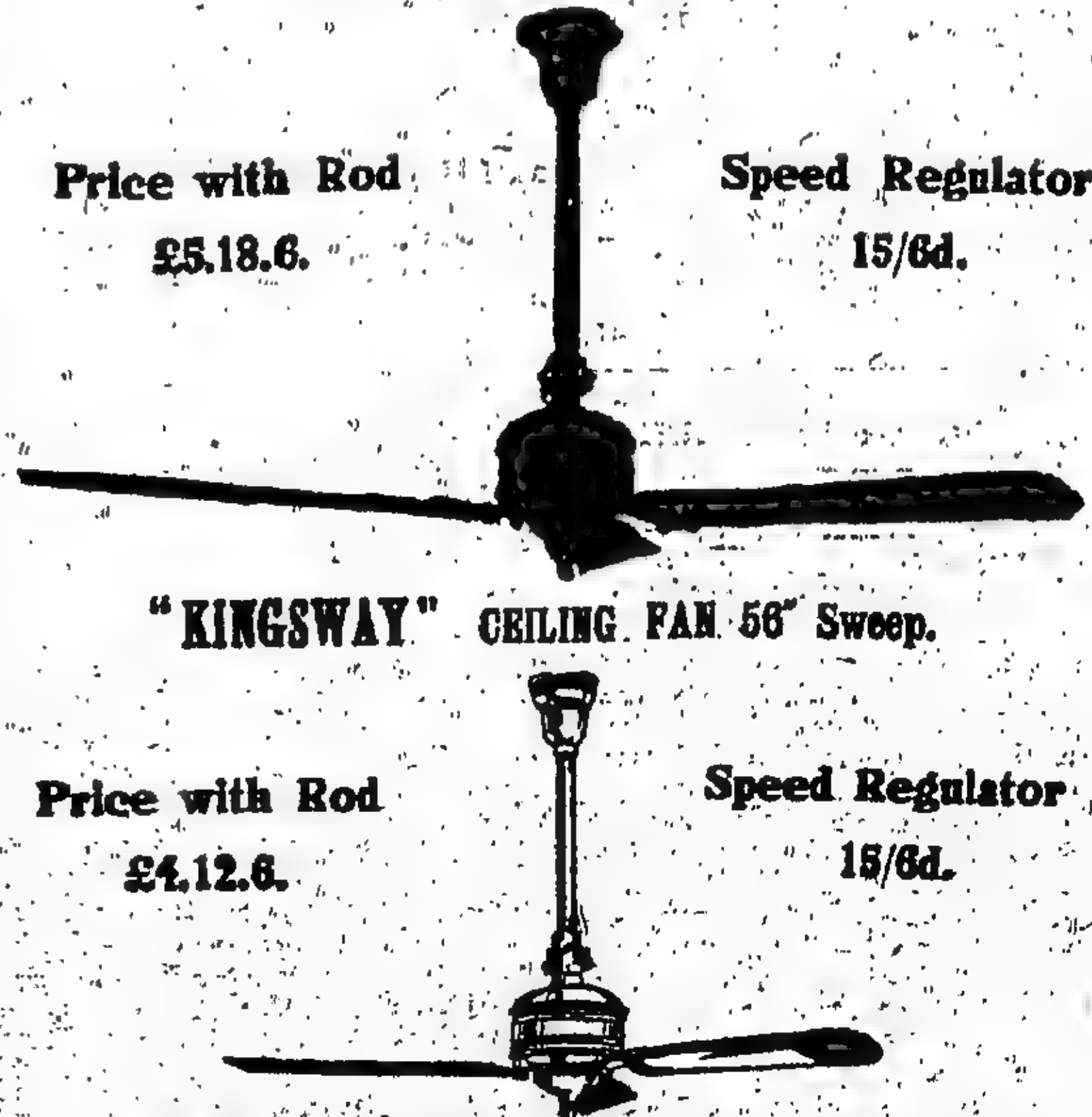
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			Do. (new)				\$7
			Star Ferry				\$32
			Tamam Forries				\$10.46
			China Lights (old)				\$10.20
			Do. (new)				\$12
			H.K. Electric				\$104
			Macao Do.				\$104
			Sandakan Lights				\$32
			Telephones				\$11
			China Buses				\$2.9
			Tractions				\$15
			Do. (pref.)				
			Industrials				
			Malabon Sugars				\$15
			Calbeck, (ord.) S.				\$21
			Macgregor (pref.) S.				\$104
			Canton Ice				\$6
			Cement (comb.)				\$2.55
			Do. (old)				\$2.80
			Do. (new)				\$2.80
			Ropes				\$29
			Miscellaneous				
			Dairy Farms				\$1
			Der A Wings				\$10
			Amusements				\$10.10
			Ch. Entertainment				\$2.80
			Constructions (old)				\$0 cts.
			Do. (new)				\$4
			Lans Crawford				\$3.90
			Macintosh				\$21
			Nanyang Tobacco				\$14
			Sincere				\$2.10
			Watson				\$13
			Wm. Powells				\$2
			G. Enterprises				\$2
			United Theatres S.				\$2
			B. Ind. G. Bonds				\$7.7
			H.K. Gov. Loans				\$10.3
			Wallace Harper				\$17.5
			H.K. Wing On				\$14.5
			S'hai Do.				

MONEY AND MARKETS

H. K. STOCK MARKET

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

Dull conditions continue to prevail in the market, this morning's session showing no indication or sign of any improvement, though telephone made a slightly better showing at today's opening. Sterling securities, however, maintained their firmness.

Sales.

Union Insurance, \$580.
Antamoks, 90 cents.
Baguio Gold, 62 cents.
Hongkong Tram, \$21.
Cements (Combined), \$2.65.
Dairy Farms, \$29.
Constructions (New), 80 cents.

Buyers.

Hongkong Bank, \$1830.
Union Insurance, \$580.
Douglas, \$34.
Benguet Consolidated, \$40.
Big Wedge, 32 cents.
Gold Creek, 80.
Venz Goldfields, \$6.
Hotels, \$4.53.
Hongkong Tram, \$21.
Star Ferry, \$39.
Electricity, \$31.
Telephones, \$31.
Govt. Loans, 34 per cent Prem.

Sellers.

Wharves, \$134.
Providents (Old), \$3.
Hongkong Land, \$77.
Realities, \$7.
Cements (New), 5 cents.
H.K. Ropes, \$7.
Watsons, \$8.

PETROL TRADE IN JAPAN

Amalgamation of Companies

EFFECT OF MR. MATSUKATA'S PURCHASE

Tokyo.—An amalgamation of the three largest oil refinery companies, viz. the Nippon Sekiyu, the Mitsubishi Sekiyu and the Ogura Sekiyu may materialise in the near future. An agreement of opinion for it has already been reached between the managements of the three concerns.

The direct incentive for the present merger talk is the gasoline warfare between Mr. Matsukata and the Big Six. Between two fires—Soviet oil and Anglo-American oil—these Japanese refineries have been put into a very difficult position. The only way out for them is to amalgamate. It is hoped that the present merger, if it really materialises, will greatly facilitate the establishment of the national policy in regard to liquid fuel for which, in concert with the Government, they have been striving for several months past.

On Monday afternoon (23rd inst.) Mr. Tashita (Nippon), Mr. Hirai (Mitsubishi) and Mr. Ogura (Ogura) visited Baron Nakashima, Minister of Commerce and Industry, and after explaining their scheme, solicited his support. They earnestly wished the Government to use its influence to bring the present merger eventually into a wholesale amalgamation of the oil industry. The points which they have emphasised at the interview may be summarised as follows:

1.—By means of amalgamation, the three companies should control both refining and sales. With the merger company as the nucleus, an amalgamation of the two foreign concerns, British and American, and small Japanese refinery and sales companies numbering about twenty, should gradually be realised. The merger company, after the wholesale amalgamation, should be capitalised at approximately ¥200,000,000.

2.—A permit system should be adopted for both the establishment of refineries and the import of crude oil.

3.—All oil-extracting companies including the Kita Karafuto Sekiyu (North Saghalien Sekiyu) should be kept outside the above merger company. They should concentrate their activity on the exploitation of resources and the supply of crude oil to the merger company.

Capitalisation.

The above three refinery companies are at present capitalised as follows:

Company	Authorised	Paid
Nippon	¥80,000,000	¥56,000,000
Mitsubishi	5,000,000	5,000,000
Ogura	20,000,000	15,000,000

In the event of the present merger materialising, it is hoped, the new company will be able to record a saving of at least

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.)

On	Sterling Parity	Oct. 30.	Oct. 31.
Amsterdam	12.10 Florins	7.93	7.94
Athens	375 Drachmas	590	570
Belgrade	278.316 Dinars	1261	2334
Berlin	90.48 Marks	13.10	13.29
Bombay	1s. 6d. per Rupee	1/8	1/6
Brussels	35 Belgas	22.61	22.67
Bucharest	813.868 Lei	335	540
Buenos Aires	47.584 per Peso	22.40	22.40
Copenhagen	18.129 Kroner	16.39	16.39
Geneva	25.224 Francs	926	926
Helsingfors	193.33 Marks	1/3	1/3
Hongkong	110 Escudos	371	371
Lisbon	25.224 Pesetas	371	371
Madrid	92.46 Lire	371	371
Milan	50.984 per Peso	4.85	4.85
Montevideo	4.987 Dollars	1/3	1/3
Montréal	18.129 Kroner	16.39	16.39
New York	134.21 Francs	100	100
Oslo	18.129 Kroner	16.39	16.39
Paris	134.21 Francs	100	100
Prague	18.129 Kroner	16.39	16.39
Rio de Janeiro	26.932 per Gold Milre	41 O.R.	41 O.R.
Shanghai	18.129 Kroner	16.39	16.39
Stockholm	24.584 Schillings	1/2	1/2
Vienna	24.584 Schillings	1/2	1/2
Yokohama	24.584 per Yen	181	181
Silver (spot)		181	181
Silver (forward)		100 5/16	100 5/16
War Loan		100	100

Closing Quotations

ON LONDON:	ON NEW YORK:
Telegraphic Transfer	Bank Bills, on demand 3 3/4 nom
Bank Bills, on demand	Credit, 60 days' sight, nom
Bank Bills, 4 months	ON BATAVIA:
Right	On demand
Credit, 4 months	On demand
Right	Bank Bills, on demand 6 1/2
ON SHANGHAI:	Credit, 4 months' sight 6 1/2
On Demand	ON SAIGON:
ON SINGAPORE:	On demand
On Demand	ON MANILA:
ON KORE:	On demand
On Demand	ON BANGKOK:
ON INDIA:	On demand
Telegraphic Transfer	Sovereigns, Bank Buying
Bank, on demand	Rate
	Bar Silver, per oz

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS. REPORT

Messrs. Roza Bros. have forwarded us the following Exchange Market report for yesterday. Silver prices were unchanged yesterday, the quotations remaining at 18 1/4 for Ready and 18 3/8 for Forward. Silver futures reported China Banks of having bought the Continent sold. America was also inclined to buy. The tone was steady. In America the rate rose 3/8 to 39 1/8 for Spot. The market was quiet.

New York advices reported the opening rate at 47 3/4 and the closing rate at 47 1/2. The market was quiet.

Market. Sterling. Business was done during the course of the morning at 1/5 9/32 for near delivery. The market closed with sellers at 1/5 1/4 and 1/5 9/32 for December, buyers at 1/5 9/32 and 1/5 1/2 for December, probably 1/5 5/16 December.

U.S. Dollars. A fair amount of business was done early in the morning at 36 for December delivery. Later offers at 34 3/4 were accepted for near delivery. The market closed with sellers at 34 5/8 and 34 3/4 for near and 34 1/2 for December.

Ten. Merchants were quoted at 118 1/2 for near delivery.

Shanghai Dollars. Shanghai Dollars were quoted at 11 7/8 for cash.

Shanghai. Firm. Sellers were indicated at 1/3 9/16 for near, buyers probably at 1/3 5/16 November.

U.S. Dollars. Sellers with sellers at 31 1/16 but later the selling rate rose to 31 5/16 November, buyers probably at 1/16 higher.

Y.22,000,000 in its yearly expenditure. To what extent Baron Nakashima, the Commerce Minister, will evince enthusiasm over the present merger is being watched in all quarters.

S.O.S. The representatives of the Japanese oil interests who waited upon the Commerce Minister on Monday in connection of the merger scheme asked him to invoke the Staple Industry Control Law for suppression of reckless competition from Soviet oil.

Japanese concerns, they stated, incurred a serious blow from Soviet oil and had to register a loss for the term ending September. Unless something is done immediately, both the three Japanese concerns and Mr. Matsukata are liable to be ruined, they warned.

RICE CONTROL IN JAPAN

A Complicated Measure

Tokyo.—The working regulation for the Rice Control Law which will put into force on November 1st was gazetted yesterday (24th inst.). A complete grading list covering 72 kinds and 317 classes was also published.

It is learned that the Control Committee will meet to-day to fix the first official quotation. This quotation will be based on the commodity prices for September. It is expected that the maximum price will be fixed somewhere between ¥30.36 and ¥32.59 per koku, and the minimum price somewhere between ¥21.66 and ¥22.70 per koku.

Storing Ten Million Koku. A few days ago, Mr. Goto, Minister of Agriculture and Forestry, obtained the approval of Admiral Saito, the Premier, Mr. Takahashi, the Finance Minister, and Mr. Nagai, the Overseas Minister, to his plan to store 10,000,000 koku of unhusked rice as one of the measures to meet the bumper crop.

Of this total, 6,000,000 koku will be Japanese grain, 3,000,000 koku Korean and 1,000,000 koku Formosan.

Small Granaries Preferred. The Advisory Council to the Rice Section, at its sitting on Monday (23rd inst.), studied the question of housing the above grain in Japan. The original plan was to build 50 large granaries throughout the country, but in accordance with the strong recommendation by members representing the Seiyukai, the Council voted for the establishment of 650 small storehouses scattered over the country.

At the same meeting, Mr. Adzuma, a Seiyukai representative, advocated the resumption of an ancient system of having storehouses in all villages so that at least five per cent of their harvest should be stored compulsory. For that purpose, he said, it will be necessary for the State to pay two-thirds of the cost of construction for these storehouses.

Mr. Goto, the Minister for Agriculture, promised to study the matters.

Canton Silk Market. From the Kwangtung Raw Silk Testing Bureau, Department of Reconstruction, Canton, China:

Canton Quotations. October 30.

Extra O.S. 13/15 H.K. \$400N.
S. Extra O.S. 13/15 H.K. \$535P.
Cracks N.S. 14/16 H.K. \$420N.
Extra Extra 20/22 H.K. \$400P.
Waste N.S. Open H.K. \$ 87N.

Yokohama Quotations. October 31.

Spot, Yen 655.
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 ATSUTA MARU ... Saturday, 23rd Dec.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.

GINYO MARU ... Sunday, 12th Nov.
 TOKIWA MARU ... Wednesday, 29th Nov.

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 NEW YORK via Panama.
 TSUYAMA MARU ... Friday, 10th Nov.
 TAKAOKA MARU ... Sunday, 19th Nov.

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TOYOOKA MARU ... Wednesday, 15th Nov.
 CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.
 MURORAN MARU ... Wednesday, 8th Nov.
 AKITA MARU ... Wednesday, 15th Nov.

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 ANDRE LEBON ... 20th Nov.
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Shipping News

Week-End Statement, Waterfront News.

YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS

IMPORTS 2,810 TONS.
THROUGH CARGO 20,360 TONS.

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:

	Cargo for H.K.	Through Ports.
British:		
Nellore, Mojl.	—	3,436
Carnarvonshire, Shanghai	—	7,061
Chak Sang, Canton	—	1,030
Diomed, Shanghai	100	5,808
Kingyuan, Hoilow	914	914
	—	1,014
Dutch:		
Van Heutsz, Swatow	—	1,120
Norwegian:		
Promise, Bangkok	1,802	—
	—	1,802
Total	2,810	20,369

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS.

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:

Kingyuan (British), Hoilow	57
Promise (Norwegian), Bangkok	5
Van Heutsz (Dutch), Swatow	415
Total	477

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:

	Arr.	Dep.
British	5	6
American	0	1
French	0	1
Dutch	1	1
Norwegian	1	3
Japanese	1	0
Chinese	0	1
Total	9	13

SHIPS IN HARBOUR.

The following merchant ships were in Harbour yesterday:

Wharves.
Kowloon: Asama Maru, China Merchants—Yushun, O.S.K.—Dell Maru, Douglas Laprak—Haining and Sval.
Salkong: On Chao, Chiu On—Hydrangea.
Docks.
Kowloon: Havdrot, Marly, Sudhallud.
Talkoo: Hol Sul and Silvercypress.
Buoys.
No. A1—Nellore.
No. A2—Diomed.
No. A3—Carnarvonshire.
No. A5—Tjlsadane.
No. A7—Olympia.
No. A15—Van Heutsz.
No. B2—Chak Sang.
No. B3—Kalgan.
No. B4—Promise.
No. B5—Helikon.
No. B9—Prosper.
No. B10—Fingal.
No. B11—Gustav Diederichsen.
No. B12—King Yuan.
No. B14—Sui Yang.
No. B15—Nanning.
No. B16—Holthor.
No. B17—Hermud.
No. B18—Solviken.
No. B20—Klungchow.
No. B21—Taiyuan.
No. B25—Borneo.
No. C1—Hafthor.

ARRIVALS

October 31.

Anhui, British str., 2,080 tons, Capt. J. D. Whyte, from Holhow, buoy No. B20.—B. and S. Anna Maersk, Danish str., 3,348 tons, Capt. Baerntzen, from Shanghai, Stonecutters.—Jebson and Co. Dell Maru, Japanese str., 1,293 tons, Capt. Hirose, from Canton, O.S.K. Wharf.—O.S.K. Michael Jebson, Danish str., 1,343 tons, Capt. Thaysen, from Holhow, buoy No. B10.—Chin Seng Hong.

November 1.

Carnarvonshire, British str., 5,955 tons, Capt. W. J. Fugs, from Shanghai, buoy No. A3.—J. M. and Co. Diomed, British str., 6,354 tons, Capt. H. E. Beale, from Shanghai, buoy No. A2.—B. and S. Empress of Canada, British str., 12,811 tons, Capt. A. J. Halley, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf.—C.P.R. Kamona, British str., 902 tons, Capt. T. B. Robertson, from Bangkok, buoy No. B6.—Williamson and Co. Hai Ning, British str., 840 tons, Ou Chao, Portuguese str., 322 tons, Capt. Souza, from Kwang Chow, buoy No. B9.—Wo Hop and Co. Capt. E. Walker, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas and Co. Sokudale, Norwegian str., 1,177 tons, Capt. L. Hange, from Canton, Stonecutters.—Wallem and Co. Van Heutsz, Dutch str., 2,749 tons, Capt. Hemkes, from Swatow, buoy No. A15.—J.C.J.L. Yuen Sang, British str., 1,983 tons, Capt. D. Burleigh, from Swatow, West Point Wharf.—J. M. and Co. Yushan, Chinese str., 1,079 tons, Capt. H. C. Wang, from Canton, C.M.S.N. Wharf.—C.M.S.N. Co.

CLEARANCES

November 1.

Asama Maru, for Shanghai, C. H. Riviere, for Canton, Chak Sang, for Swatow, Diomed, for Singapore, G. Diederichsen, for Bangkok, Himalaya, for Singapore, Nagara, for Manila, Olympia, for Port Redon, Sokudale, for Swatow, Sval, for Swatow, Tai Yuan, for Shanghai, Yu Shun, for Swatow, Wing Wo, for K. C. Wan.

UNLAWFUL BOARDING OF BOATS

Six Chinese were each fined \$20 with the alternative of one month's imprisonment, by Commander Newill at the Marine Court yesterday for going on board the s.s. Tjlsadane without the permission of the master.

For unlawfully anchoring their boats inshore the Yama, Typhoon, Shelter and Jordan Road less than 100 yards from the Low Water Mark, three Chinese boatmen were each fined \$10.

VESSELS DUE

Akita Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 14. Andre Lebon, Messageries, Nov. 20. Aramis, Messageries, Nov. 7. Athos II, Messageries, Nov. 7. Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 6. Bangalore, P. & O., Nov. 28. Burewan, P. & O., Nov. 28. Calcutta Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 28. Carthage, P. & O., Nov. 28. Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 24. Chitral, P. & O., Nov. 2. City of Evansville, Bank Line, Dec. 14. City of Lille, Bank Line, Nov. 13. City of Winnipeg, Bank Line, Nov. 7. Conte Verde, Doddwell's, Nov. 4. Cornville, Bank Line, Nov. 24. Durban Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 15. Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Nov. 30. Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Nov. 24. Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Nov. 9. Felix Roussel, Messageries, Dec. 4. Gertrude, Maersk, Jensen's, Dec. 6. Gingo Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 11. Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 10. Hai King, Thoresen's, Nov. 23. Heister, B. & S., Nov. 11. Hellas, Thoresen's, Nov. 18. Helios, Thoresen's, Nov. 25. Hermod, Thoresen's, Nov. 5. Hilda, Doddwell's, Nov. 9. Hiran, Thoresen's, Nov. 12. Hnashan Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 6. Feijo Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 28. Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 10. Isar, Melchers, Nov. 2. Java, Manners', Nov. 8. Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 24. London Prince, Furness, Nov. 13. Malaya, Manners', Dec. 3. Memnon, B. & S., Nov. 8. Menelaus, B. & S., Nov. 5. Monestheus, B. & S., Nov. 24. Muroran Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 7. Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 29. Nankin, B. & S., Dec. 3. Nanjing, Gilman's, Dec. 1. Nelsa, B. & S., Nov. 30. Peiping, Gilman's, Dec. 19. Perseus, B. & S., Dec. 3. Phenix, B. & S., Nov. 8. Pres. Grant, Dollar's, Nov. 3. Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, Nov. 6. Pres. Johnson, Dollar's, Nov. 10. Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 6. Saabruessen, Melchers', Nov. 18. Saarlouis, Jensen's, Nov. 11. Santha, B.I. (Apcar), Nov. 10. Silverwalnut, Furness, Nov. 25. Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), Nov. 15. Sumatra Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 6. Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 24. Szechuen, B. & S., Nov. 2. Tai Ping, B. & S., Nov. 10. Takada, B.I. (Apcar), Nov. 2. Talma, B.I. (Apcar), Nov. 23. Tamara, Gilman's, Nov. 20. Tania, E. & A. S.S. Co., Nov. 4. Tangshan Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 17. Tantalus, B. & S., Nov. 6. Tetsu Maru, N.Y.K., Dec. 8. Tetsu, Thoresen's, Nov. 22. Tetsu, P. & O., Nov. 22. Terakuni Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 21. Tishow, Bank Line, Nov. 9. Tjlsadane, J.C.J.L., Nov. 29. Tjlsadane, J.C.J.L., Nov. 5. Tokiwa Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 28. Totoki Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 18. Toyooka Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 15. Tunga, Thoresen's, Nov. 30. Tyndarus, B. & S., Nov. 29. Yamagata Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 4.

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS.

The s.s. Conte Verde sailed from Singapore at 6 p.m. on Tuesday, and is expected here at daylight on Saturday. She will berth at the Kowloon Wharf and sail thence at 11 a.m. for Shanghai.

The B. and S. s.s. Menelaus (from Singapore) is due to arrive here on the 5th inst.

The P. and O. s.s. Somal left Singapore for this port on the 28th ult., at 3 p.m., and is due to arrive here to-morrow (Friday) at 6 a.m.

The P. and O. s.s. Rawalpindi left Shanghai for this port on the 31st ultimo at 3 p.m., and is due to arrive here on the 3rd instant at about 6 a.m.

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"CHITRAL"	15,000	2nd Dec.	Mars, Havre, L'don.
"SOMALI"	8,500	9th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles and London
"RANCHOI"	17,000	16th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles and London
"CARTRIDGE"	15,000	30th Dec.	Mars, Havre, L'don.
"BANGALORE"	6,000	6th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles and London
"NALDERA"	16,000	13th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles and London
"CORFU"	15,000	27th Jan.	Mars, Havre, L'don.
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"CARTRIDGE"	15,000	23rd Mar.	do.
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JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Tanaka	6th Nov.
JAPAN	Arizona Maru	6th Nov.
JAPAN	Rakuyo Maru	6th Nov.
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SHANGHAI	Athos II	7th Nov.
SHANGHAI	Memnon	8th Nov.
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Amoy via Swatow and Amoy	Leti Maru	9.30 a.m.
Swatow	Van Heuts	10.00 a.m.
Swatow	Hydrangea	3.00 p.m.
Swatow	Somali	4.00 p.m.
Swatow	Harbin	5.00 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and EUROPE via Vancouver, B.C., due Vancouver, B.C., 22nd Nov. and EUROPE via Siberia	Emp. of Canada	Par. 2nd, 5.00 p.m. Reg. 3rd, 9.15 a.m. Letters 10.00 a.m.
Hankow and Haiphong	Kiungsho	Friday, 3rd, Noon
Manila, Batavia, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane—due Brisbane, 4th November	Parcels	Noon
Swatow, Amoy and Fookchow	Hailong	Reg. 1.15 p.m. Letters 2.00 p.m. 3.00 p.m.
Letters for "Bandoeng—Amsterdam Air Mail Service"	Rawalpindi	K.P.O. Reg. 3rd, 4.30 p.m. Let. 3rd, 5.00 p.m. G.P.O. Reg. 3rd, 5.00 p.m. Let. 4th, 9.00 a.m. Kowloon P.O. Par. 4th, 7.00 a.m. Reg. 4th, 9.15 a.m. Letters 10.00 a.m.
Shanghai	Cote Verde	Saturday, 4th, 9.00 a.m. 4.30 p.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kalgan	Sunday, 5th, 9.00 a.m. 9.00 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Armanis	Monday, 6th, 9.00 a.m. 1.15 p.m. Letters 2.00 p.m.
Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane—due Brisbane, 19th November	Melbourne Maru	Reg. 1.15 p.m. Letters 2.00 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, East Africa and Batavia	Arizona Maru	Tuesday, 7th, 10.00 a.m. 10.00 a.m.
Batavia	Typhoon	Reg. 11.30 a.m. Let. Noon
Batavia	Typhoon	Reg. Noon Let. 12.30 p.m.
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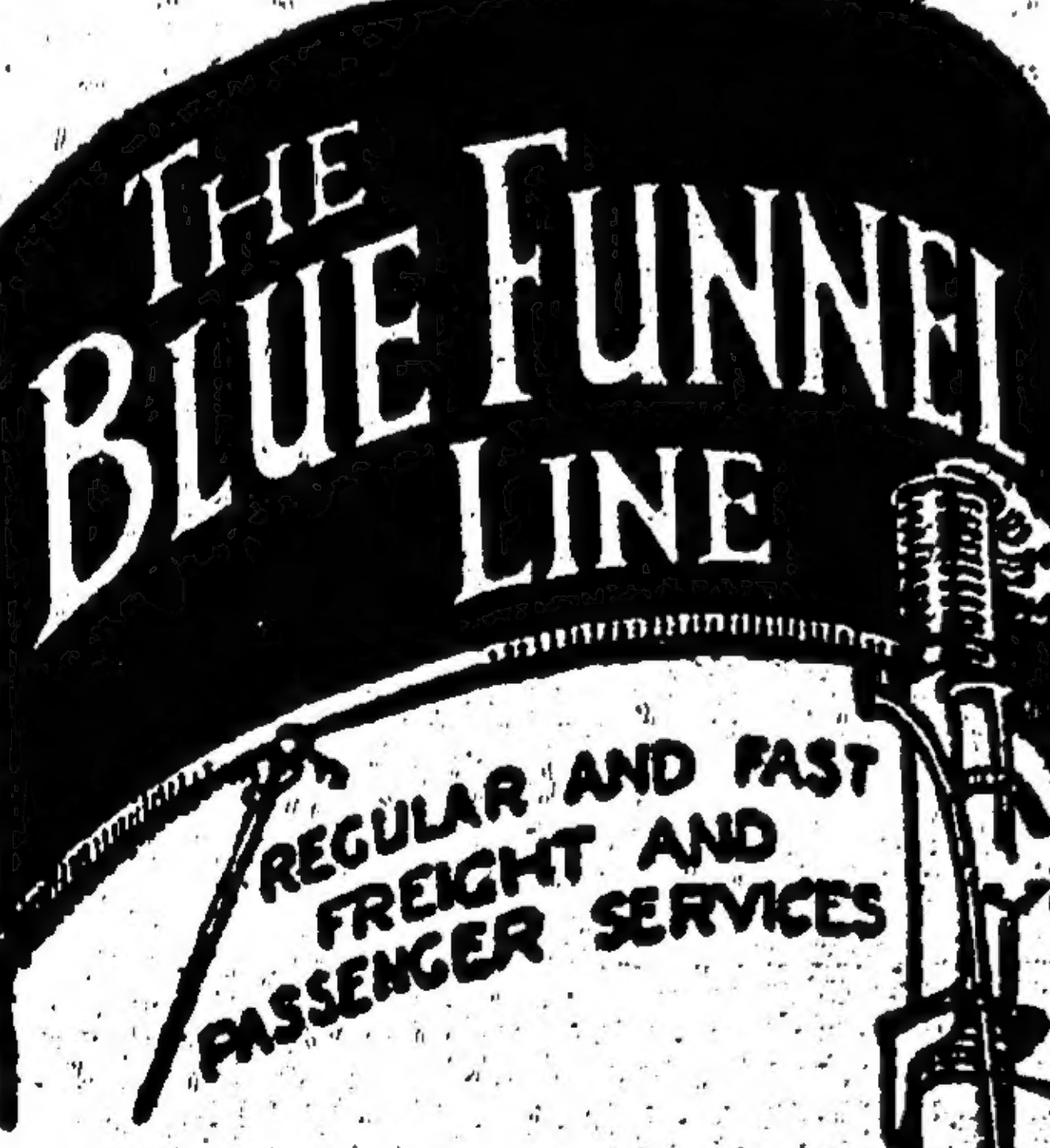
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